MIDDLETOWN DAILY ARGUS.

VOL. XX. No. 5,718. MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1895. 30 CENTS PER MONTH. PRICE 2 CENTS.

A KNOCK OUT FOR SATURDAY.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests 5c.; Ladies' Handkerchiefs 2 for 5c.

Umbrellas and Parasols.

A big stock just to hand. WHITE SILK PARASOLS are the rage Make your selections now. 50 GLORIA SILK, DRESDEN HANDLES, at $1.39 each, actually worth $2

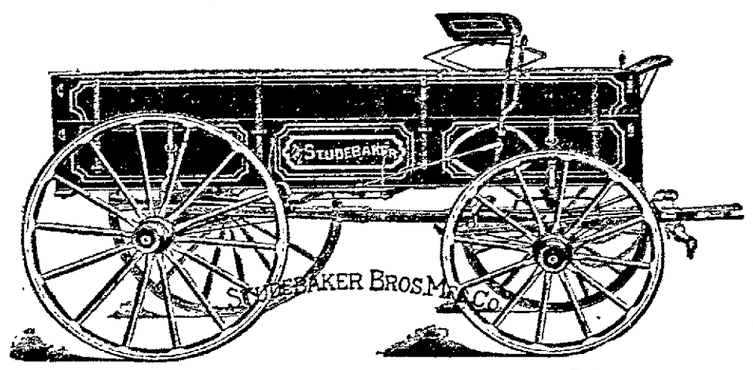
BUY "CENTEMERI" GLOVES.

Kayser Tip Glover in black and colors.

Chamois Gloves 69 Cents!

4-button Gloves 79c., 6-hook real kid Foster patent $1 a pair, best in the world. Buy your gloves at the "Bee Hive." The power of repose is accentuated by a graceful form. "Glove Fitting" Corsets perfect the form.

WELLER & DEMEREST.



THE BEST IN THE WORLD.

SURREYS, BUCGY HARNESS,
BUCCIES, COACH HARNESS,
BUSINESS WAGONS FARM HARNESS

The Middletown Wagon Co.,
10 HENRY ST., MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

THE NICARAGUA AFFAIR.

No Direct News from the Scene of the Trouble.

BRITISH DEMANDS NOT MODIFIED.

It Is Believed That Great Britain's Naval Force Has Already Taken Possession of the Custom Houses, Although Nicaragua Has Not Yielded Without Protest.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Up to a late hour Dr. Guzman, the Nicaraguan minister, has not received any dispatches from his government indicating what, if anything, has transpired in connection with the British ultimatum.

A difference of opinion exists in diplomatic circles as to the precise time at which the ultimatum expires, some persons holding to the belief that it expired Thursday midnight, while others contend that Friday midnight marks the limit From the cables heretofore received by Dr. Guzman he is of the opinion that the limit of time was up at midnight on Thursday, but in the absence of any later news he thinks that some additional time —probably twenty-four hours—has been granted to Nicaragua within which to make answer He is, however, in the dark as to what really has occurred.

The minister seems to believe the matter will be settled, but in what manner and in what terms he does not advance an opinion.

LONDON, April 27.—In well informed English quarters here it is declared that the British ultimatum to Nicaragua has not been modified, that Admiral Stephenson has not been cabled to extend the time granted Nicaragua within which to pay the indemnity of $75,000 demanded by Great Britain, and in the absence of definite news it is believed that the admiral has already occupied Corinto. The belief is also expressed here that the Nicaraguan government will not yield to the demands of Great Britain until compelled to do so, in order to avoid being forced to resign office.

Ex-Consul Waller's Imprisonment.

MARSEILLES, April 27.—Ex-Consul John L. Waller, has been placed in the civil prison of St. Pierre, the military authorities refusing to keep him any longer in Fort St. Nicholas, where he has been detained since his arrival here. Mr. Waller is now awaiting his transfer to some fortified place, probably to Ile Marguerite, where the late Marshal Bazaine was interred. Mr. Waller is much distressed at the position in which he finds himself.

The Allianca Affair Settled.

MADRID, April 27.—United States Minister Taylor refuses to talk on the subject, but information obtained in other quarters confirms the statement that the Alliahca affair has been settled, Spain giving to the United States ample and honorable satisfaction, and admitting that the Allianca was outside the jurisdiction and watars of Spain when she was fired upon.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

Yesterday's House Proceedings Brought to an Exciting Close.

HARRISBURG, April 27.—The proceedings in the house yesterday were brought to an exciting close. After many senate bills on second reading had been disposed of Mr. Moore, of Chester, sprung a motion that the vote be reconsidered by which the McQuown bill was killed last Monday. The measure provides that school books shall not be changed oftener than five years after they have been adopted. Mr. Herzog, of Berks, appealed to the house to vote down the motion. He said the bill had been defeated once, and ought not to be taken up again. The motion was adopted by a viva voice vote. Mr. North demanded a roll call, which showed 64 yeas and 48 nays.

Then the opponents of the bill demanded the reading of the roll. When the clerks had finished Mr. Herzog called the attention of the speaker pro tem. (Mr. Cochrane, of Armstrong) to the fact that Messrs. Richey, Rhodes and several other members were recorded as having voted in the affirmative when they were not in the chamber. Several other members arose to a question of privilege, and stated that their absent colleagues were recorded. Mr. Cochrane stated that he would not recognize any other members who arose to a question of privilege. His decision was greeted with hisses and faint applause. Immediately Speaker Walton stepped on the platform, and the confusion partly subsided. Members crowded around the desk to protest against the ruling of the speaker pro tem. A motion to adjourn was offered and carried.

The members were in no mood to work, although about fifty senate bills were disposed of.

The bill to repeal the laws relative to the examination of boundary line monuments by commissioners of the counties located along the boundary lines of the state was taken up and passed finally.

To Prevent Mint Robberies.

PHILADELPHIA, April 27. — Assistant United States Treasurer Bigler had submitted to him by William Burnside, a Pittsburg scale expert, a novel mechanical device. The new device consists of an arrangement of scales at the bottom of the bin, which will register accurately the weight of the contents of the entire bin, and is so graduated that it will indicate the removal of the smallest amount of coin. The quantity of coin placed in and removed from the bins each day will be registered with exactness, and electrical attachments give immediate warning of any attempt to tamper with the delicate mechanism of the scales. Assistant Treasurer Bigler says that thefts like those carried on by ex-Weigher Cochran in the Philadelphia mint would be impossible with such safeguards.

No Clew to the Plainfield Bank Robbers.

PLAINFIELD N. J., April 27.—As far as can be learned the New York detectives have not yet found a clew to the daring thieves who stole $22,765 from the First National bank in this city at noon on Monday last. The theft will not affect depositors, and there has been no run on the bank.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Confidence Takes the Throne So Long Held by Distrust.

NEW YORK, April 27.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: Neither the rise in speculative markets nor the steady gain in industries has ceased, and it is wholesome that there are fewer signs of hesitation in the productive industries than in speculative prices. Wages strikes grow more numerous and cause some trouble, and retail demand lags behind wholesale sales and jobbing purchases behind production in some branches, but through many conflicting reports the fact shines out that the industries are gaining —not with a rush and a whirl, but more safely.

It is less clear that railroads are increasing their earnings, or that over production of cotton will be cured by the advance of 1⅜c. in price, or that cornering short sellers of wheat will help to market the large surplus. But revival of activity in all these directions, if possibly excessive in some, helps confidence to take the throne so long held by distrust.

The failures for the week have been 239 in the United States, against 179 for the same week last year, and 37 in Canada, against 26 last year.

Bradstreet's review says: The features of the week is the continued strength of prices of staples after the striking advances of preceding weeks. There is a firmer undertone in nearly all lines of trade, but at a number of points gains in industrial are more marked than in commercial lines. There is moderate activity in the market for wool, and cotton goods are firm on the advance in cotton and higher wages paid eastern mill operatives.

The Greater Pittsburg Bills.

HARRISBURG, April 27. — The greater Pittsburg bills will go to the governer next week. They passed the house in exactly the shape they left the senate, except for some very unimportant amendments. The senate will concur in these next Tuesday, when it reconvenes. The vote for or against consolidation will take place at the presidential election in 1896, and if the vote is in favor of consolidation the districts will be united into the greater Pittsburg in March, 1898. The combined population of the territory to be consolidated is 450,000. It is estimated that this will be increased to 900,000 before the taking of the next census. This would make it the fourth city of the union, or the fifth if New York and Brooklyn consolidate.

No Silver Convention for West Virginia.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 27.—The proposed Democratic state committee to commit the party in West Virginia on the silver question will not be held owing to the strong opposition that has developed among the party leaders in the state to the proposition. The opponents of the plan do not base their opposition so much on an enmity to free silver as they do on the fact that they regard the idea of a declaration on the question, either one way or another, in advance of the national convention of next year as unwise from a party standpoint.

The Striking Providence Mill Workers.

PROVIDENCE, April 27.—The attempt of the management of the Providence and National Worsted Manufacturing company to operate its factories, after having been compelled to shut down on account of a strike of the weavers employed by them, failed shortly after noon, when nearly all the other departments joined the weavers, and work was suspended. The strikers now number 1,500, and 1,000 more are idle on account of the shut down.

Manslaughter in the Second Degree.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Caroline Kraft, a midwife, who has been on trial before Recorder Goff on a charge of performing a criminal operation on Bertha Karns, on Jan. 20 last, was yesterday afternoon found guilty of manslaughter in the second degree. After the verdict was rendered a report got around the court room that four of the jurors had been approached. Recorder Goff ordered an immediate investigation.

Put Her Infant in the Stove.

YONKERS, N. Y., April 27.—A German servant girl in the employ of William Hamill, of Dobbs' Ferry, gave birth to a child some time during the night, and tried to dispose of the body by burning it in the kitchen stove. The act was discovered when the body was nearly consumed. Dr. Hasbrouck was called in, and he notified Coroner Miles, who ordered the girl placed under arrest.

Death of a Well Known Jersey Politician.

JERSEY CITY, April 27.—Ex-Police Captain George H. Farrar died last night, the result of an apoplectic stroke. He was a Thirty third degree Mason, captain of Company A, Twenty-first New Jersey volunteers, during the civil war, and an ex-member of the New Jersey assembly

Four Towns Nearly Destroyed by Flood.

BUDA PESTH, April 27—Four towns in Hungary, Kutoz Vitova, Rudolfsgrad and Mosrin were almost destroyed by the recent floods. The damage amounts to $5,000,000.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

C. A. Rowe, county treasurer, has disappeared from Montezuma, Ia., with $23,000 of the county's money.

The number of immigrants from Italy during ten months past was 10,525 less than for the same period last year.

The mule spinners of Lowell, Mass., have voted to request the restoration of the 1893 schedule of wages.

Heavy rain and hail storms visited southeast Texas yesterday. In many places fences were battered down.

Many men have deserted from the United States cruiser Olympia at San Francisco, alleging ill treatment by the first lieutenant.

Alva S. Andrews, a farmer near White Hall, Wis., is under arrest, charged by his daughter with murdering her illegitimate infant child.

Forest fires in the woods near Kennebunk, Me., burned over fifty acres of valuable woodland and did considerable damage to railroad property.

ONLY A MILD PROTEST.

Japan Was Not Threatened by the European Powers.

THE JAPANESE WILL NOT RECEDE.

She Will Insist Upon All the Terms of the Peace Treaty as Rightfully Her Due. Critical State of Affairs Existing in Pekin and Yokohama.

LONDON, April 27.—Direct and positive information from official sources is at hand concerning the exact negotiations between Russia, France and Germany on one hand and Japan on the other.

The Russian, French and German ministers separately interviewed the Japanese vice minister for foreign affairs, under instructions from their respective governments, and presented memorandums, in which it was stated that the governments of Russia, France and Germany, upon examining the terms of peace imposed by Japan upon China, have found that the possession of the peninsula of Liao Tung, claimed by Japan, would be a constant menace to the capital of China and at the same time would threaten the independence of Corea and render it non-effective in fact.

In this sense and for other reasons it would be, it was stated, a constant menace to the permanent peace of the far east. Consequently the governments of France, Russia and Germany, desiring to show their sincere friendship for the government of Japan, advise it to renounce the absolute and final possession of the peninsula of Liao Tung.

The memorandums of the three governments make it plain that they are presented in the way of friendly advice to the Japanese government, and are not intended in any way to convey any open or covert menace.

The impression is gaining ground that Japan can rely upon the friendly counsel of the United States at the present moment. The governments of Great Britain and Italy have made it plain that they do not intend to follow the example of Russia, France and Germany, and the great commercial interests of the United States in the far east, which the Japanese-Chinese treaty would largely benefit, no less than the constant attitude of the United States toward Japan, lead diplomats to believe that the United States at this juncture will not fail to make such a use of its good offices as will prevent Japan from being deprived of the fruits of her victory.

The treaty of peace has already been ratified by the emperor of Japan, and it would be extremely difficult to make any change. The only effect of Russia's, France's and Germany's attitude must be to encourage the party in China which is opposed to any moderate and reasonable settlement, and thus to prolong the war indefinitely.

It may be stated in the most positive terms that the reports thus far circulated regarding Japan's reply to the powers are not correct. The reply had not been sent as late as the evening of the 26th, and from the intimations received from the highest and most reliable sources here it may be stated that the reply, while moderate and conciliatory in tone, will not contain any recession from what Japan regards as rightfully her due.

It is believed that Japan was surprised by the protests made by Russia, France and Germany. The dispatch of the latest Japanese expedition to Port Arthur was ordered for the purpose of allaying the discontent that exists in that portion of the army which has not shared in the honors of the campaign, and also to force the Pekin government to ratify the peace treaty.

A Pekin dispatch to The Times says it is the cession of southern Manchuria, as provided for in the treaty of peace, that is chiefly opposed in the Chinese capitol. The agreement to this end made by Li Hung Chang specially grieves the emperor, because the province of Manchuria is the ancestral portion of the empire. There is less opposition regarding the cession of Formosa, which is a new province. The other articles of the treaty are regarded as bearable. Several governors and some of the generals oppose submission to the public proclamations that have been made.

Apprehension in Yokohama.

YOKOHAMA, April 27. — The demand made by Russia, France and Germany that Japan refrain from annexing the Liao Tung peninsula, is expected to try the self restraint of the Japanese nation very severely. The government will find it difficulty, if not impossible, to comply without great risk of internal trouble. The present situation is viewed with much apprehension. At the same time, it is believed that the government will be compelled to do its utmost to meet the European views.

Affairs in Pekin Critical.

SHANGHAI, April 27.—A dispatch received here from Pekin says that affairs there are in a critical state. Some of the generals are in favor of continuing the war. The censors object to Viceroy Li Hung Chang and the terms of the treaty of peace between China and Japan, and the officials are claiming that the emperor alone should decide upon the terms. The ratification of the treaty consequently is uncertain, and if it is ratified fears that there will be trouble with the army.

Boat Capsized, Two Drowned.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Joseph Cronin, 19 years old; James McEvoy, 16 years old, and John Fitzgarld, 19 years old, who were all employed on the coal dock of Edward Cunningham, went rowing on East river, and Cronin and McEvoy were drowned, while Fitzgerald was saved, after the boat had capsized at the southerly end of Blackwell's Island.

Father and Two Children Perish.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 27.—A block of storerooms and tenement houses, known as the Encel block, was destroyed by an incendiary fire during the night. James Yeager, an old man, and his two children, aged 5 and 9 years, were burned to death, and a half dozen families barely escaped.

THE INDIAN LAND MUDDLE.

A Judicial Decision That Increases the Conflict of Authority.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 27.—Judges Dundy and Riner refused to issue a mandatory injunction compelling the Flournoy Land company and all others interested in leasing Winnebago Indian reservation lands to vacate the property. It is said that the ruling of the federal court will not deter Captain Beck the Indian agent, from proceeding with the eviction of the tenants. Beck said today that he would at once evict all settlers, and a conflict of authority is possible.

In 1880 speculators began operating in these lands with illegal leases, and continued to do so ever since. The Flournoy company leases 37,000 acres of land, and sublet a large portion. It secured the land off the Indians for about twenty cents an acre, and sublet it for $1.50 to $2. For years Indian agents had attempted to break up the system. In the five injunction cases brought the same questions were raised.

At this point a question of misjoinder was raised by Judge Dundy. The court inquired how 250 people sub-leased from the company could be equally interested and equally joined. The attorney for the government said that the government preferred to proceed by civil process instead of employing the military force at its command. All the government wanted to do was to enforce collection of a fair lease and get rid of the speculators. The Indians were to be permitted to lease the lands in accordance with the established rules of the department at Washington. The court refused to permited the government to join in the suit. As the result of this litigation the muddle is deeper than ever.

The Cases Against Eugene V. Debs.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—It is stated here that the continuance of the Debs case has no significance. The attorney general wired the district attorney at Chicago to continue the case until the July term of the court. It is expected that by that time Judge Grosscup, who is ill, will have sufficiently recovered his health to hear the case. Judge Grosscup heard the previous case, and granted the injunction against Debs. He is perfectly familiar with all the questions involved, and for this reason it is preferred to continue the suits until they can be heard before him.

Probably Murdered by Strikers.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., April 27.—A horrible murder was committed during the night at New River, three miles from Coal Creek, where the mines of the Royal Coal and Coke company are located. John Craig, a miner who has been in sympathy with the coal company, was found in a dying condition, and made a statement to the effect that he was shot from ambush. He died before he could give further particulars of the tragedy. The murder is a result of the present strike at the Royal mines.

Murdered His Wife in Her Cell.

SYDNEY, O., April 27.—A terrible tragedy occurred in the jail here yesterday afternoon. Some nights ago Mrs. John Verhite, was caught in the raiding of a disreputable house. Her husband was away from home at the time, and had her held till he returned. Yesterday he got back and went to the jail to see her. He walked to her cell and immediately shot her through the heart. She died instantly and he made good his escape.

A Big Strike Averted.

BIDDEFORD, Me., April 27.—The threatened strike of the 3,300 operatives in the Loconia and Pepperell Cotton mills was averted when a compromise agreement between the management and the operatives was reached, whereby the advance in wages demanded to be made on May 1 will be made June 1. The restoration means practically an advance of 10 per cent. in every department of the mills of both corporations.

Townsend's Probable Successor.

PHILADELPHIA, April 27.—It can be stated on official information that a successor to Mr. Townsend, superintendent of the mint, will be appointed within the next few days. So far as known Mr. Townsend has not sent in his resignation, but in the event of his failure to do so very soon he will be removed. Mr. Kretz, of Reading, Pa., is the most likely of all the candidates to receive the appointment.

Tramps Killed by a Train.

CLEVELAND, April 27.—William Kirt, of Hamilton, Ont., a man named Charles Witters, place of residence not known, and Alfred Tells, of New York, all in search of work and walking on the Lake Shore rail road tracks, at Rockport, west of this city, saw a train coming and stepped aside to the other track, just in time to be struck by another train. Kirt and Witters were killed and Tells seriously injured.

Killed by a Mine Cavein.

HAZLETON, Pa., April 27.—William Dugan and George Weaver were entombed by a fall of coal in Pardee's Cranberry colliery. Dugan's dead body was taken out a few hours later. Weaver was alive when the rescuers began work, but as he has since failed to signal them it is feared he is dead. Rescuing parties are working hard to reach him.

Another Challenge for Dixon.

BUFFALO, April 27.—Frank Erne, the Buffalo featherweight, issues a challenge to George Dixon, to meet him for $2,500 a side and the championship, the match to take place in June, before the club offering the largest purse. Erne has good backing, and his friends are confident that he has an even chance to win.

Killed by a Pet Horse.

MATTAWAN, N. J., April 27.—Robert Carson, a well known Democratic politician living at Crawford's Corners, was suddenly attacked and killed by a pet horse. Carson was caring for the horse at the time the animal attacked and killed him.

Mrs. Parnell Still Improving.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., April 27.—Mrs. Parnell's condition is reported as much improved, and Dr. W. H. Shipps has greater hopes of her recovery.

DE CAMPOS IN HAVANA.

The New Captain General Given an Affectionate Welcome.

THE REBELLION WILL BE CRUSHED.

No Cessation of Hostilities Until the Revolt Is Wholly Subdued—The Commander Will Enforce Strict Obedience and Humane Treatment of All Prisoners.

HAVANA, April 27.—A reception to Captain General de Campos was given at the palace yesterday. General Arderius, brother-in-law of Marshal de Campos, gave the new captain general an affectionate welcome in the name of the army, the volunteers, the militia and the firemen. He reiterated in strong terms the adhesion to the captain general of those whose motto is discipline and love of nation and king.

In reply Marshal de Campos said he knew the difficulties with which he had to contend, but declared that the insurrection would soon be brought to an end. He stated that operations against the rebels would not be suspended under any circumstances. He had given strict orders to the several columns of government troops that they were not to retire before the rebels unless the latter should be in strongly superior force and oblige them to do so. He would reward those who performed meritorious actions, but he would demand the exact fulfillment of duty, and those who did not do their duty would be punished.

Continuing, Marshal de Campos declared that he had come to carry on the war as humanely as possibly. He had given strict orders that non combatants and their families must be treated with respect, and furthermore that the prisoners and wounded must be treated kindly. Outrages upon women and other immoral actions would meet with speedy and severe retribution. He did not want anyone to ever be able to say that he had consented to such actions. In Spain it was hoped that all the loyal people of Cuba would support each other and himself in order that the insurrection should be speedily quelled. His only desire was to bring about peace in the island.

The press and all the political parties manifest great confidence in the elevated spirit in which Marshal de Campos is carrying out his delicate mission.

Fatal Hail Storm in Arkansas.

CAMDEN, Ark., April 27.—A terrible hail storm swept over this portion of Ouchita county, doing much damage to growing crops and property. Vegetation of all kinds was blown to the ground. Reports from adjoining country show that the corn crop is beaten down, and replanting will be necessary. A negro woman named Kauffman, who had been in bad health, was frightened to death by the terrific storm. A house was blown down and two negro men were caught in the debris and injured. Glass, windows, shutters and frail houses were utterly demolished.

A Man Hunt with Bloodhounds.

ANDERSON, Ind., April 27.—A mob of 200 farmers and citizens of Ingalls, with bloodhounds and guns, are in pursuit of two tramps who fatally injured Mrs. William Humes. While she was gathering flowers in a grove they attacked and stabbed her twice. She was thrown into the cellar, half filled with water, which so revived her that she was able to crawl up the steps, where she was found by persons who saw the tramps running from the house. All tramps found here have been arrested and are held for investigation.

Dr. Carver's Remarkable Shooting.

SCRANTON, Pa. April 27.—Another phenomenal record was made here yesterday by Dr. W. F. Carver, in his series pigeon shooting match with H. D. Swartz, of this city. Carver killed 99 out of 100 birds, missing the ninety-first. Swartz killed 70 out of 84. The match is for $300. Dr. Carver won the first shoot of the series on Thursday in Wilkesbarre by a score of 85 out of 96. He had been traveling all the previous night. The final shoot takes place this afternoon in Carbondale.

An Obnoxious Negro Lynched.

SPRINGFIELD, Ky., April 27.—George Ray, a disreputable negro, was hanged near Jensonton, seven miles from here, by whitecaps. Some time ago Ray was ordered to leave the country and taken from his home and unmercifully whipped. He paid no attention to the orders, and continued his acts of lawlessness Ray also threatened a number of prominent men, whom he charged with having a hand in the whipping.

A Monster Raft in the Delaware.

HANCOCK N. Y., April 27.—The largest raft of hemlock logs ever sent down the Delaware river was sent from Fosh's Eddy to Easton Pa., this week It was 122 feet wide and 281 feet long There are few rafts on the Delaware this season, the floods having carried off the timbers. Many workmen have lost a whole season's work in this way.

Another Royalist Plot Against Hawaii.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 27.—Consul General C. D. Wilder, of Hawaii, and United States Secret Service Agent Harris have been warned of a conspiracy on foot in this city to overthrow the Hawaiian government by means of any revolution. Evidence is now being gathered against those implicated in the plot.

Atlantic to Purchase the Water Supply.

ATLANTIC CITY, April 27 — The city council last night adopted a resolution practically deciding to purchase the two local water plants for $771 782. The companies and the city have been in litigation for several years

To Crush the Deadly Cigarette.

BOSTON, April 27.—By a vote of 61 to 33 the house of representatives engrossed the bill imposing a fine of $100 for each offense on any person who manufactures, sells or exposes for sale cigarettes with paper wrappers.

Newspaper ARCHIVE® www.newspaperarchive.com

Poor Pie

is responsible for many of man's (and woman's) physical woes—but the pie needn't be poor, and it may bring joy instead of woe. How? Use nothing but COTTOLENE for shortening and the pie crust will be delicate, flaky, delicious, and so healthful that even a dyspeptic can eat freely of it and be comfortable. COTTOLENE can't be equalled as a shortening, and is *absolutely* healthful. Genuine has this trade mark on every pail. Take no other.

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,
CHICAGO, and
Produce Exchange, New York.

PRETTY FEET
OUGHT TO BE
Prettily Shod,
AND TO GET
PRETTY SHOES!

you should come and see our Spring Styles in footwear. Our stock is more complete than ever, and at prices that are sure to please at the old stand,

25 W. Main St.

J. G. HARDING

COAL, COAL, COAL

WILSON & WOOD
SUCCESSORS TO BODINE & CO., DEALERS IN
Lehigh and All Kinds of Free Burning Coal.
Cumberland Coal for smithing purposes, Charcoal, etc.

OFFICE AND YARD, No. 15 DEPOT STREET.
TELEPHONE CALL NO. 35.
L. G. WILSON. J. D. WOOD

A MODEL COOK.

She can bake, she can broil, she can fry;
Ne'er a cake does she spoil, nor a pie;
She's perfectly neat,
Her temper is sweet,
And this is the reason why.

She Uses the DOCKASH RANGE

The genuine and only Dockash is made by the Scranton Stove Works, Scranton, Pa. Beware of imitations. Over 1,000 sold by us in the past 6½ years.

BRINK & CLARK,

21 NORTH AND 7 KING ST., MIDDLETOWN

The Always Popular Store of

STERN.

We Have Every Style of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats in Stock.

BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS, RIBBONS!

and Trimmings in all its branches; none such elsewhere. Ladies Capes, in all colors, from 75c up to $20. Ask to see our all wool Child's Reefers in all sizes for 98 cts., and better ones in proportion. Over 200 dozen Ladies' Shirt Waists from 23c up. Look at our Shaded Silk Waists for $2 9 Sold elsewhere at $1 more. Come to headquarters for all these goods at

STERN'S, 13-15 NORTH STREET.

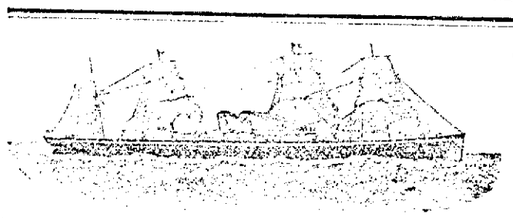
"A FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL BARGAIN." MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES

SAPOLIO

The First National Bank.

Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.
By order Board of Directors.
SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier.



Cheap Sailing
THOUGH
IT BREAKS
Ship Owners.

For $10 I will sell you a passage ticket to Scotland or Ireland, or for $12 one to England or Wales.
If you want to bring out any of your friends, will sell you a prepaid ticket from any of those countries for $15 to $16, which will insure the best of accommodations, with bed and bedding, and the best of food without extra charge, on some of the finest steamers afloat, such as the Teutonic and Majestic, of the White Star Line, and the great City of Rome and the Furnessia, of the Anchor line. Average time only six and a half days.
At present rates of fare, it is cheaper to cross the ocean than to board at home.
Drafts for any amount.

P. Dougherty, Agent, Middletown, N. Y.
Mon, Wed, Fri

EX-SHERIFF OF ULSTER CO

Hon David Winnie Owes Health to Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

SHANDAKEN, N. Y.—One of the most prominent men in Ulster county is the Hon. David Winnie, of this town. His reputation is not confined alone to this county, where he held the office of Sheriff for three years; he was also this districts representative in the New York State Legislature. For years Mr. Winnie has been suffering from a complicated case of kidney and bladder trouble and congestion of the liver. Upon the advice of friends he decided to try Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. He was not disappointed, for in a short while after he began its use, he was in better health than he had been in years before.

In speaking of Favorite Remedy to your correspondent, Mr. Winnie said: It has done more for me than all the physicians I ever employed, and I most unhesitatingly recommend it to any one suffering from kidney, liver or urinary troubles, for it will cure them.

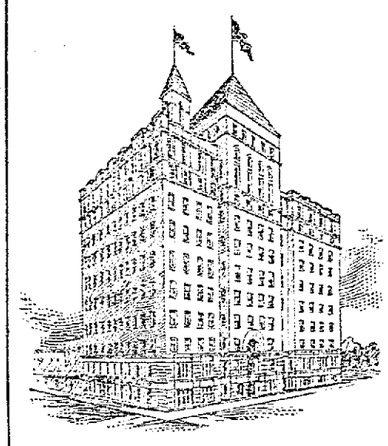
Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is to-day the acknowledged specific for all diseases arising from acidity of the blood, and will cure dyspepsia, rheumatism, kidney, liver and urinary troubles, scrofula and eczema.

You can not afford to trifle with health and life. Putting off treatment when dangerous symptoms exist is only slow suicide. Accept the aid of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy; it has restored thousands to health and strength.

ATLANTA'S GREAT HOSTELRY.

A Ten Story Structure For the Accommodation of Exposition Visitors.

Atlanta expects a host of visitors when the great Cotton States and International exposition opens in September and is preparing to erect a number of additional hotels for their accommoda-



HOTEL VENABLE.

tion. The most notable of the projected hostelries is the Hotel Venable, which will be erected on the old state capital property, opposite the Grady monument. The structure will rise ten stories above the street and will be fireproof. The stone used will be Georgia granite, and each block as it reaches Atlanta will be ready to slip into its place in the mammoth structure without receiving further attention from the mason's chisel, just as the wheels, jewels and other parts of a watch lying upon a jeweler's desk are ready to return to the case and form a perfect timepiece when the jeweler is ready for the work.

The hotel is to be constructed by a company in which Venable Bros. of Atlanta are leading spirits. The hostelry will be thoroughly up to date in all its appointments and fittings and will be one of the finest structures of the kind in America. It will vie in height with the Auditorium and the Waldorf and will equal in finish and service many of the other great hotels of the United States.

On one of the floors will be a mammoth banquet hall, with seating accommodations for 1,200 people; there will be a dancing hall on the south side of the building, and at the very top of the great structure will be a roof garden, where high class variety entertainments will be given.

Transvaal Courtesy.

President Kruger evidently has no music in his soul—if a story going the rounds in South Africa be true. At a social gathering given in his honor some time ago one of Bloemfontein's sweetest lady singers gave an artistic rendering of a popular song. The lady of the house, turning to the president, who was probably pining for a pipe, asked, "How did your honor like that?" The president bluntly replied, "I go into the veld when I want to hear the she wolf scream!"

France Has a Full Hand.

The Figaro, in an article entitled "Our Royal and Princely Guests," draws attention to the fact that France just now offers hospitality to four queens, two empresses, one emperor, three kings and twenty-three imperial and royal highnesses.

Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brownsvalley, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which did me more good than any $50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely medicine; a few bottles of it have cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warranted the most wonderful stomach and nerve cure ever known. Sold by J. E. Mills, Middletown, N. Y.

ECONOMY TALK.

A retail merchant said, add one-half more to your prices and you will still be under the market, but that's not our way of doing business. Not "how much can we get," but how little can we sell for, is our practice.

MILLINERY

Is uppermost just now. Here are a few dozen bright pretty roses, look almost like nature's handiwork, 15c large bunch; silk ones, too, at 25c; still others, but see these, see them too. Heard about Trilby, of course; here's the latest—a Trilby hat, good straw and lace effect, and prices almost as though we found them, 19c; white leghorn hats 79c.

Summer Hosiery.

Ladies' black hose 10c., seamless Rugby tan richeliew ribbed 7c, Esty patent seamless 12½c., 40 gauge drop stitch 21c., fine gauze plain black, imported, 19 cts., Egyptian lisle thread 29c, 40 gauze drop stitch imperial lisle thread black hose 29c, fancy top black boot lisle 39c Our imported hosiery is all of the standard Hermsdorf dyes, absolutely fast black.

SHIRT WAISTS.

What woman hasn't it in thought? Think of the pleasure of choosing a waist from a carefully selected stock, instead of from a mind-splitting jumble of anything and everything, and modest prices too. Thursday we will have some at 19c.

Ribbons!

For spot cash we have bought a quantity of all silk ribbons from the Minisink Silk Mill, at Unionville; we will offer them, Thursday, at a basis of 5c for No. 7, running to 22c for No 60 and 80, in good colors and black.

BOX PAPER.

A small lot (100 boxes) heavy ledger paper, octavo size, grand value at 15c.

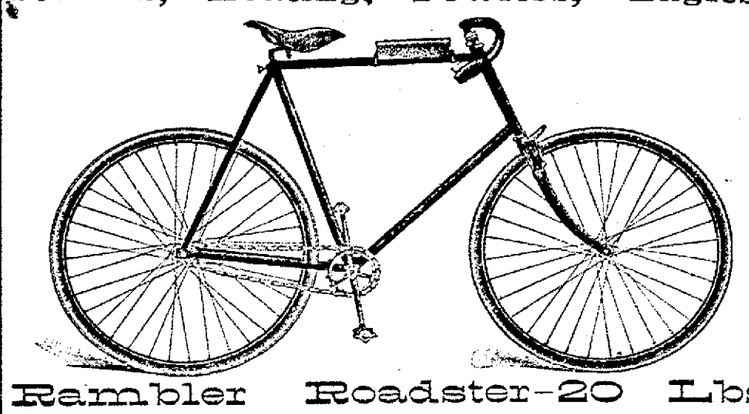
Buttercup Soap

12c a box Thursday. Buttermilk Soap 15c a box.

ECONOMY STORE,
114 North St.

BICYCLES AND SUNDRIES.

Stearns, Keating, Fowlers, Eagles.



Rambler Roadster—20 Lbs
MEDIUM GRADES, MAJESTIC AND ENVOYS.

I guarantee your wheel against puncture. Have several second-hand wheels, taken in trade, such as Stearns, Cleveland's, Majestics, Ben-Hurs, Columbias, Centrals, all in good running order, which I will sell cheap. Wheels for rent. Wheels repaired.

Charles L. Swezy, 24 North St.,
MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

NEW IDEA.

Ladies, Attention!

Those who sell the cheapest and best goods now-a-days do the business. We propose to be the ones at the New Idea to give you

GOOD GOODS FOR LITTLE MONEY!

and fatten your purse. We offer, this week, all wool Capes, in all colors, at 98c. and $1.48; also tailor made capes at $3.69. These are only samples of our bargains; we have a good many more. Millinery—We will sell below everybody's low prices. Come and convince yourself. Respectfully yours,

M. KATZINGER, COR. NORTH AND W. MAIN STS.

The Tailor Makes the MAN.

SO HE DOES.

But He Must Be a Tailor.

TRY

WOLF & KLOHS

FOR SATURDAY.

New Potatoes, Boston Head Lettuce, Nice Pineapples, Fresh Spinach, Cucumbers, Radishes, Sweet Potatoes, White Turnips, Fancy White Plume Celery, Green String Beans, Wax Beans, Grape Fruit, California Seedless Oranges, Kennedy's Whist Biscuit, Kennedy's Golden Rod Biscuit, etc, at the

City Grocery
OF
BULL & YOUNGBLOOD,
37 North Street,
TELEPHONE CALL No. 55

TO THE PUBLIC.

Don't Delay.

This is the last opportunity you will have to get Daisy Roller Mill and Vienna Best Patent Flour at

$4.00 in Wood, $3.80 in Half Bbl. Sacks

also a large quantity of
NEWBURGH SUGAR CURED HAMS at 14c

RITTER & MILLER,
NORTH STREET, CORNER DEPOT ST.

THIS IS IT!

6 Cakes Lenox Soap and One Cake Ivory 25c.

GOLD DUST, - 19c. A BOX

Fresh Radishes, Onions, Lettuce and Spinach received daily at the grocery of

C. E. VELIE,
73 West Main St., Middletown.

CLOSING OUT AT COST.

Piano Lamps and silk Shades

Banquet Lamps, 15 per cent. reduction in prices. We have the Rochester and Edward Miller make, with all the new improvements. Great bargains in

Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets,

and don't forget we keep a full line of Choice Groceries, and make

TEAS AND COFFEES A SPECIALTY.

Our Mocha and Java are the best that can be produced.

J. B. SWALM, 12 E. MAIN ST

GREAT BARGAINS

Sale of goods slightly damaged by the late fire in our building.

Teas 15, 20 25c per pound.
Canned Corn 5c per can.
Canned Tomatoes 5 and 6c.
Rice 4c a pound. Beans 8c a qt.
Our best Flour $3 50 per barrel.
Butter from 10c a pound up.
Good new Butter 18 and 20c.
Lots of other goods cheap.

C. N. PREDMORE & SON.

New Maple Sugar.

Fine Butter and Cheese, Teas and Coffees, Fresh Garden and Flower Seeds at

MAPES BROS.,
Koch Building,
Corner West Main and Mill streets.

Highland Brand Tomatoes

RICH, RED, RIPE.

Solid Full Cans, Cold Packed.

FINEST GOODS ON THE MARKET
AT
The South Side Store,
CORNER ACADEMY AVE. AND GENUNG ST.

WE SELL

The Gale Plow, Planet, Jr., Cultivator, Seed Drills, Horse Hoes

AND

Our $12 Spring Tooth Steel frame Leon Harrow

beats them all.

Garden, Field and Flower Seeds
AT
GEO. A. SWALM & SON'S
No. 18 North St.

KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and ends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

CASINO THEATRE

Thursday, May 2d.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.

AMY LEE, the most exquisite of soubrettes.
FRANK DOANE, the singing comedian.
P. ALG. ANDERSON, the great character actor.

and the Original New York Cast,

In the powerful drama of intense interest,

PAWN : TICKET 210!

By David Belasco and Clay M. Greene, authors of "The Charity Ball," "The Girl I Left Behind Me" "The New South," "Men and Women," etc. Correct appointments, new songs. Scenery by John H. Young, Broadway Theatre, New York city. Management of J. M. Ward.

"RICHMOND HILL,"

the coming residence section of Middletown Only three blocks from Franklin Square, only 5 minutes from the post office. Broad streets, high land, good drainage, no railroads to cross, no necessity of expending $30 or $40 a year for car fare, or otherwise compelled to walk a mile. Every lot is inside the corporation; they are nearer Franklin Square than the Soldiers' Monument; they are about the same distance from the Square as Prospect street; other tracts being offered are three and four times farther from the business section than "Richmond Hill;" fifteen elegant new houses are now in process of erection; lots vary in size from 50x100 to 50x190, and on this tract is the highest point in the city of Middletown; prices low, and may be paid on monthly installments or a liberal discount for cash; 125 lots sold since January. If you want to make some money, if you want to get a home, come and see us.

STRATTON & COREY,
Casino Theatre Building.
FRANK N. STRATTON.
HORACE W. COREY.

OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide-Awake Correspondents.

—Dr. Cauthers, of Monticello, was badly bruised and had a finger broken by driving into a washout, on the Mongaup hill, near Strongtown.

—Thirty hands are now employed in Engelman's cigar factory in Monticello and 140,0000 cigars are manufactured daily.

—A telephone line is being put up between Liberty and Jeffersonville and will be continued on to Stevensville and White Lake.

—Liberty's Commissioner of Highways has ordered three new bridges which he will erect on the streams below Parksville.

—The Methodist Sunday schools of Rockland and Liberty have exchanged libraries, thus giving each school a practically new set of books.

—W. M. Kilbourne has been Superintendent of the Methodist Church Sunday School at Liberty, for thirty-five years. It is very doubtful if any one in the county can boast of such a length of service.

—The Beebe farm near the upper Strongtown school house, on the line between Thompson and Liberty, has been sold to a Mr. Shields, of Brooklyn.

—Seth H. Royce, a well known citizen of this county, died at the residence of his son, W. F. Royce, in DeBruce, April 22nd, aged seventy-five years. The remains were taken to Monticello for interment.

—The *Register* says that many city people have already visited Liberty to secure rooms and board for the summer, and that many boarding houses have already engaged the major part of their rooms.

—The property known as the Holley property lying adjacent to the Surrogate's office and fronting the public park has been sold to Mrs. Lynch, a sister of Dr. J. C. Curlette, of Mountaindale, for $3,700.—*Watchman.*

Calvin S. Seeley, of Narrowsburgh, forty-five years old and weighing less than ninety pounds was taken to the county house Thursday. He is harmlessly insane, one of his delusions being that he is superintendent of Engelman's cigar factory.

—The vestry of St. John's Church, Monticello, has extended a unanimous call to Rev. Daniel T. Howell, who for four years has been rector of Christ Church, Warwick. Mr. Howell is expected to to remove to Monticello and enter on his pastoral duties in the very near future.

—W. H. H. Williams, of the Maple Grove House, Neversink, has abandoned his plan of leasing a summer hotel at Phœnicia, Ulster county. Several cottages escaped the fire which destroyed the main building last winter and he can accommodate about fifty guests. The belief that a railroad will be built up the Neversink Valley influenced Mr. Williams in his determination to remain at Neversink.

—One of the interesting cases to be tried at the May term of the Supreme Court or the June term of the County Court, will be the indictment against Mr. Richards, agent for D. T. Stevens, owner of Stevensville Lake, who was indicted for smashing the boats which Mr. Mungear, who owns property near the lake insisted on keeping on the lake. The lake is private property having been created to store water for the Stevensville tannery. It is said that surveys show that Mungear's lands do not reach to within many feet of the waters of the lake.

SCENE OF THE BUSHVILLE TRAGEDY.

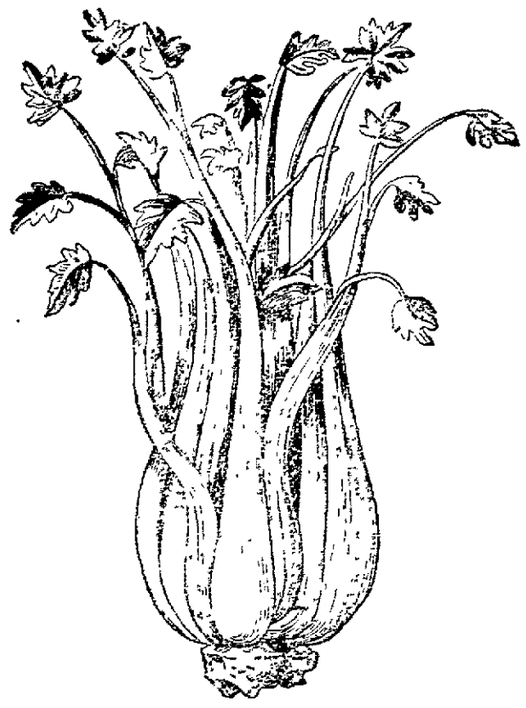
—Imagination cannot conceive a more gloomy scene than the poor abode where the lives of old Jacob Moore and his housekeeper were taken by their murderers fourteen months ago. The cabin home has sheltered no human being from that day to this. It stands in a place rendered most uninviting by nature; on the east rises a high bush and wood covered hill that shuts out the sun until a late hour in the morning, while on the other sides the appearance of landscape is dreary and gloomy in the extreme. The birds fly in and out of the rooms through the open doors and broken windows, yet the blood stains left after the slaughter of the victims are visible on the decaying floor. In a few years more the building will rot away and with it will pass some of the memories of the most brutal crime in the county's annals. While in the minds of a majority of the people the hope of detecting the perpetrators has been given up there are a few who still study the case with persistency in the belief that they can unravel the mystery.—*Watchman.*

"Half a span of angry steel" will produce no more fatal results than a neglected cold or cough. For all throat and lung diseases, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best remedy. It is invaluable in cases of croup, whooping cough, bronchitis and la grippe.

Ask for the Rand-McNally Guide and enjoy its system of Accident Insurance. A free policy in the Fidelity & Casualty Co. with each Guide.
33d1yrSep17'95

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND.

Best Spring Remedy in the World--It Makes People Well.



There is one true specific for diseases arising from a debilitated nervous system, and that is Paine's celery compound, so generally prescribed by physicians. It is probably the most remarkable remedy that the scientific research of this country has produced. Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL. D., of Dartmouth college, first prescribed what is known the world over as Paine's celery compound, a positive cure for dyspepsia, biliousness, liver complaint, neuralgia, rheumatism all nervous diseases and kidney troubles. For the latter Paine's celery compound has succeeded again and again where everything else has failed.

The medical journals of this country have given more space in the last few years to the many remarkable cases where the use of Paine's celery compound has made people well than to any other one subject.

Brewery and Hotel Destroyed.

CARLISLE, Pa., April 27.—A fire which started in the stables of the North Street brewery last night destroyed property worth $15,000, and at one time threatened far more serious damage. At the time of its discovery a fierce gale was blowing, which carried a shower of sparks into the residence part of the city, and ignited the roofs of a dozen houses. Just at the moment when the firemen were about to give up the fight in despair, and the situation appeared hopeless to the property holders, the wind died out and the flames were gotten under control. The brewery and the Rinehart House were destroyed, while the other houses were but slightly damaged.

Ten Men Reported Drowned.

BALTIMORE, April 27.—Two white men and eight colored men are reported to have been drowned during the storm on the Rappahannock river last Monday. The drowning is said to have occurred near Burham's wharf, Middlesex county, Va When the storm broke a number of canoes sought safety by making fast to a vessel. The vessel began to drag her anchor, and the captain cut the smaller boats loose, which caused them to drift off with their occupants It was the occupants of these boats who are said to have been drowned.

Murder or Suicide.

PHILLIPSBURG, N. J., April 27.—Mrs. Mary Blackwell, a widowed resident of Washington street, this place, was found dead in bed at her home, with a bullet hole in her head and a revolver by her side. The indications point to suicide, although there is a strong suspicion that the woman was murdered. When found she was entirely nude. Samuel Carpenter, a married man who is said to have been on intimate terms with the dead woman, is under arrest on suspicion. He denies knowledge of the crime.

His Skull Fractured by Robbers.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 27.—Early in the morning John H Evans, of Luzerne, was found unconscious near Waddell's breaker, Luzerne. He revived under treatment and told the physicians that at midnight as he was passing the breaker he was knocked down by a stone from one of the high windows. His valuables—watch and a large sum of money—were gone. The thieves had tied a red handkerchief around his head to stop the flow of blood. Mr. Evans' skull is fractured and his condition very critical.

Boys Try to Wreck a Train.

GOODWATER, Ala., April 27. — John Mitchell and George Kennedy, boys 17 years old, undertook to wreck the Sample Lumber company's log train near Hollins, Clay county, because the engineer refused to let them ride. They placed rocks pieces of dry goods boxes and cross ties on the track. They were captured and tried before Justice Robinson and bound over in a bond of $700. They did not make the bond, and were sent to jail at Ashland.

Price Wants to be Tried in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, April 27.—Marshall E. Price, charged with the murder of the schoolgirl, Sallie Dean, makes affidavit that he could not have a fair trial on the eastern shore, and asks that the case be removed to Baltimore. Marshal Frey will send a squad of policemen with Price when he is taken from jail here to be arraigned in the Caroline county court, in order to insure a legal disposition of him.

Best for Constipation.

"The Paper Dolls which a given for one trade-mark from Hood's Pills and ten cents in stamps have been received, and they are really a work of art. I have found that Hood's Pills act promptly and give no pain. I have found them better for constipation than anything else that I have ever taken." Amanda Irmscher, 24 Pilling St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 24

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c

The Agent Himself the Robber.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., April 27.—The Denver and Rio Grande express was robbed of about $1,100 at Victor early in the morning The express agent, Carlin, says a man came into the station soon after midnight, and after talking a few minutes struck him a powerful blow, which laid him prostrate on the floor, where he remained for some time insensible. When he regained consciousness, he says, the man had disappeared, the safe door was open and the money gone. Subsequently, however, Carlin confessed that he had concocted the story to cover up a misappropriation.

A Mother's Charge Against a Clergyman.

OLDBURY England, April 27.—Mrs Hall, the mother of the young woman, Emma Hall, whose death in a hospital at Detroit, Mich., has cast suspicion on the Rev. Jonathan Bell, declares she has sufficient evidence to convict the Rev. Jonathan Bell, whom she holds responsible for her child's death. Mrs. Hall says that the Rev. Mr. Bell sent Emma to America Mrs. Bell, wife of the missing pastor, says she does not know whether her husband is dead or alive. The members of the Rev. Mr. Bell's congregation consider his guilt to be fully established.

An Involuntary Railroad Ride.

BALTIMORE, April 27. — Charles W. Badey, 15 years old; Charles Lenshaw, 12, and John Morton Dillon, 9, made an enforced journey to Baltimore from Philadelphia. On Wednesday evening they and two other boys were playing "hide the hoop" about the Pennsylvania railroad station in Philadelphia. The three travelers entered a stock car to hide, when the door was closed upon them. Unable to make any person hear them, and tired out, they went to sleep Soon after they awakened the door of the car was opened and they were released. The boys were well cared for and their parents telegraphed

An Alibi for Young Strevil.

FT. SCOTT, Kan., April 27.—At the trial of Noah Strevil, charged with murdering his father, the defense introduced testimony that the murdered man was a party to the recent burning of his stock barn, and that he collected insurance money on some blooded horses, grain and harness that were not burned, but were used by him after the fire It is the theory of the defense that the murder was committed by a man employed by the old man, who set fire to the barn, and that the differences between them arose over his refusal to divide the insurance money. A witness was introduced who positively made an alibi for the accused young man.

Two Men Buried Alive.

CINCINNATI April 27.—At Ludlow, Ky., near the Pullman car works, five men were shoveling sand at the bottom of a perpendicular bank fifty feet high Two of the men discovered the bank yielding at the top, alarmed their companions and barely escaped the mass The other three were buried in the sand Two hundred operatives in the Pullman shops joined in the rescue of their bodies George Wilkes was soon taken out alive unharmed and resuscitated. Jacob Pfleger was taken out dead at dusk, and this morning the dead body of Fred Schaal was recovered.

Horses Burned in an Incendiary Fire.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., April 27.—Near Grass Creek, at a midnight the big barn of Emanuel Rans was fired by an unknown person and completely destroyed Seven horses were cremated A granary near by, in which seven pounds of dynamite was stored also caught fire and the explosion which resulted demolished all the buildings on the premises and dangerously wounded Mr Rans and his wife.

Life Imprisonment for Parricide.

PENSACOLA Fla., April 27.—John Criswell, the boy murderer of his father, was sentenced in circuit court yesterday to imprisonment in the state penitentiary for life.

Go to the C. E. Crawford Furniture Co. for your sewing machines. Get the Wheeler and Wilson new No. 9. Best on earth. dtoJu26

Man.

Bearing in mind that, as far as general configuration goes, the ground plans of the present continent have been about the same, only an occasional bit of land having been topped off, as in England, the question arises, Is man an animal of the old world or of the new? If we descend from some anthropoidal ape, then that Asiatic or African monkey must have had a fair hand, and, above all else, a working thumb. Baboons run on all fours, but the gibbons, who are arboreal and live on fruits, have nicely developed thumbs and can pick a nut and shell it neatly. An American monkey has not these exact capabilities He does not depend on his hands to cling to a branch. He uses a fifth limb, which is his prehensile tail. The true gibbon is not, however, utterly a nut or fruit eater. If confined to that diet alone, a strictly vegetarian one, he pines. He likes eggs and devours small insects. Vary his diet in a menagerie, making him slightly omnivorous, and his condition improves. If not, then, for these arboreal ancestors, who had hands, we might never have been. We may then trace our origin from the old rather than from the new one, but we really know but little about the particulars.—New York Times.

Emperor Fo-hi.

The Emperor Fo-hi, the first of his line, is the Chinese model of politeness. He is said to have been so civil that he always spoke, even of himself, with profound respect, and when the Chinese habit of self depreciation is remembered this degree of civility will be better appreciated.

VIGOR OF MEN

Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored.

Weakness, Nervousness, Debility, and all the train of evils from early errors or later excesses, the results of overwork, sickness, worry, etc. Full strength, development and tone given to every organ and portion of the body. Simple, natural methods Immediate improvement seen. Failure impossible. 2,000 references. Book, explanation and proofs mailed (sealed) free.

ERIE MEDICAL CO., Buffalo, N.Y.

HELP WANTED.

BY Fairly competent women, each with an infant or young child, situations in the country (general housework, plain cooking, etc.) Small wages expected. Fare paid by association. Apply State Charities Aid Association, United Charities Building, 105 East Twenty second street, New York city. 74d&w3mJu7

WANTED—Men who will work for $75 a month or large commission, selling goods by sample to dealers Experience unnecessary Write us, we will explain. For sealed particulars send stamp
HOUSEHOLD SPECIALTY CO. (75), Cincinnati, O. SatAu25

TO MAKE BIG MONEY selling our Electric Telephone. Best seller on earth. Sent all complete ready to set up; lines of any distance. A practical Electric Telephone. Our agents making $5 to $10 a day easy. Everybody buys; big money without work. Prices low. Any one can make $75 per month.
Address W. P. HARRISON & CO., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio. 2

A MAN in every section to sell staple goods to dealers; experience unnecessary; best side line; $75 a month. Salary and expenses or large commission made. For sealed particulars send stamp. CLIFTON SOAP AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Cincinnati, O. dWedSatlyNov14

MEN to take orders in every town and city no delivering; good wages; pay weekly no capital; steady work.
GLEN BROS., Rochester, N. Y. dMch20toAp2 Ap22toMy4

WORK WANTED.

Any intelligent man or woman, seeking employment, and ambitious to make from $40 to $150 monthly, can secure same by addressing Globe Bible Publishing Co., 723 Chesnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. No capital required, nor stamp for reply. Young man or woman willing to earn a few hundred dollars in the next two months preferred. 13ddec

Tastes good as it goes down, does good when it gets down.

HIRES' Rootbeer

makes the children rosy-cheeked, keeps the parents healthful, helps the old folks carry their years lightly. A 25c. package makes the whole family happy.
CHAS. E. HIRES CO., PHILADELPHIA.

JAMES T. KING, Druggist and Pharmacist,

CORNER MAIN AND SOUTH STS.

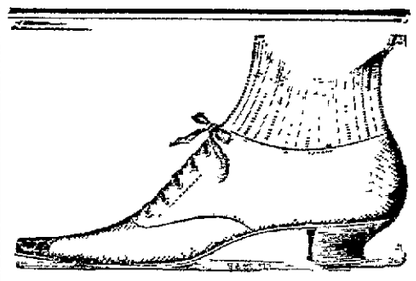
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES. CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO COMPOUNDING PRESCRIPTIONS

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.



BLACK AND TAN.

Notice our immense display in north window of Oxford Ties—75 cts., $1, $1.25 and up. Follow the footprints to

C. D. HANFORD'S,
43 North St.

THERE ARE BICYCLES AND BICYCLES BUT

The Liberty Bicycle

possesses more practical improvements than the best of them all. Call and see them.

B. F GORDON, Agent
55 North Street,
Middletown, N. Y.

THE HUB

Boot and Shoe Store,

13 West Main Street.

Men's Russia Calf Shoes $2.00.
Men's Russia Calf Shoes, Goodyear Welt, $2.50.

None better at any price.
A full line of Ladies' Oxford Ties.

A MATTER OF BUSINESS.

No sentiment about buying clothing—You want the best you can get for the least money. That is always what we try to give you. Our growing trade shows how well we please others Will you let us try it on you.

NO CHESTNUTS

In our stock to attract "Joy." Not very elegant language, but it is full of meaning—like most of slang words—what we mean is, that our goods are of the kind that are in demand by the best dressers. Our low-priced clothes are just as much "in style" as the high-priced.

A. J. CAHILL,

One Price Clothier, 34 North St,

DAILY ARGUS.

C. MACARDELL,
PUBLISHER.

GEORGE H THOMPSON, C. MACARDELL, J. F. ROBINSON, } EDITORS
J. F. ROBINSON, CITY EDITOR
A. F. NICKINSON, BUSINESS MANAGER

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1895.

The differences between the Platt and anti-Platt Republicans will be harmonized at the same time that Grand Army Posts begin to clamor for the services of Street Commissioner Waring as a Memorial Day orator.

There is little doubt that ex-Fire Chief McCabe killed himself rather than give testimony against his brother firemen, in the Senate bribery investigation. His blood is a spot that will not out, and his death so focuses public attention on the investigation that the scheme of whitewashing the accused Senators may have to be abandoned and the real facts brought out.

Four companies of colored men have been organized in the cities of New Jersey and have applied to the State Military Board for Admission to the National Guard. It is expected they will be mustered in, although the white guardsmen have very decided objections to colored troops. It is probable that when the negro companies are mustered in a great many white militiamen will muster themselves out of the service.

The investigation of the city government of Syracuse has been abandoned. It progressed far enough to show that the affairs of the city were administered with a looseness that bordered on criminality, and which made corruption easy. Syracuse is, however, a Republican city and Republican legislators, even though "reformers," have no wish to expose Republican wrongdoing and so the investigation has been brought to an abrupt end, and Syracuse's officials can go on misgoverning and malgoverning the city without fear of interference from Albany.

Dun's Review says that neither the rising in speculative markets nor the steady gain in industries has ceased, and it is wholesome that there are fewer signs of hesitation in the productive industries than in speculative prices. *Bradstreet's* says the the feature of the week is the continued strength of prices of staples after the striking advances of the preceding weeks. The number of voluntary advances in wages reported is large. During the past two weeks the wages of 50,000 operatives most of them in textile lines, have been advanced without strikes. Bank clearings indicate expansion of general trade.

The New York *Herald* announces that the publication of the weekly edition will be discontinued and the weekly *Herald* consolidated with the Sunday edition. The reason assigned is that "the legitimate field of weekly news is filled to the satisfaction of local readers by country and town papers, and that there is no longer need or room for a weekly edition of a city paper. In recognition of this fact the New York *World* recently changed its weekly to a semi-weekly, and the *Tribune*, which a few years ago would only shade its price a trifle in clubbing with country papers, is now glad to receive subscriptions through country papers at twenty-five cents a year The great improvement that has been made in recent years in the quality of country newspapers is the secret of the changed conditions that confront the city papers. What the *Herald* says is true. The field is so well filled by local papers that there is no room for the city weekly.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS P TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, April 27 '95

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	—	109¾ 109¾
A T & S F	—	5¾ 5¾
C B & Q	—	74¾ 74¾
Chicago Gas	—	73⅝ 73
D. L. & W	—	169 —
Dis. & Cat. F	—	17¾ 18
Erie	—	12¾ 12¾
General Electric	—	34 33¾
L. & N	—	66 66¾
L. S	—	143¾ 143¾
M. P	—	26¼ 26
N. Y. & N. E	—	39¼ 39¾
N. Y. C	—	99 99⅝
N. W	—	97¾ 98¾
Susquehanna & Western	—	13 12¾
O. & W	—	17¾ 17¾
Manhattan	—	110¾ 110
Southern Ry	—	14 13¾
P. & R	—	16¾ 15¾
R. I	—	67 66¾
C. M. & St. P	—	62¾ 62¾
U. P	—	— —
W. Union	—	89¾ 89¾
U. S. Cordage	—	6 6
Nat. Lead	—	31¾ 31¾
May Wheat	—	61¾ 61
May Corn	—	47¾ 48¾
May Oats	—	28¾ 29
May Pork	—	$12 27 $12 27
May Lard	—	6 55 6 55

Spring is full of terrors to all whose constitution is not able to resist the sudden changes of temperature and other insalubrities of the season. To put the system in condition to overcome these evils, nothing is so effective as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Take it now

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE TRIAL OF OSCAR WILDE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, April 27.—The trial of Wilde and Taylor was resumed, to-day. Witnesses Wood and Atkins repeated their former stories. The cross-examination showed Wood to be a blackmailer. Atkins, when asked if he had been guilty of blackmail, answered: "I dont remember."

ARTFUL PERRY AND HIS CUNNING LAWYER.

BY UNITED PRESS.

JERSEY CITY, March 27.—Judge Lippincott, to-day, turned Perry over to the Matteawan Asylum officials. When leaving court on his way to Matteawan, he struck lawyer Simpson and the latter swore out a warrant for his arrest. This, it is believed, was done to keep Perry in New Jersey.

DR. BUCHANAN APPLIES FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Dr. Buchanan's lawyers filed an application for a writ of habeas corpus to-day before the United States Circuit court.

A STEAMER ASHORE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

FIRE ISLAND, April 27.—The steamship North Erin from Medi arranged ports for New York went ashore near Shinn Rock light to-day.

FIRE TO HIDE ROBBERY AND MURDER

BY UNITED PRESS.

KINGSTON, N. Y., April 27.—A shanty occupied by Mrs. Duffy at Stony Hollow was found on fire, to-day. The woman was found with her throat cut. It is believed she was robbed and murdered. Some Italians are suspected.

MRS. PARNELL IMPROVING

BY UNITED PRESS.

BORDENTOWN, April 27.—Mrs. Parnell's condition slightly improved, to-day.

OBITUARY.

Christopher C. Treanor.

Christopher C. Treanor, one of the best known citizens of Deckertown, died, very suddenly, Monday evening, of heart disease, aged 54 years.

He was a prominent member of Samaritan Lodge, F. and A. M., and it was he to whom information of the suicide of Geo. W. Cox, of this city, was sent on Sunday. He made all the arrangements for the attendance of his lodge at Mr. Cox's funeral with no thought that his own was to follow so soon.

Mr. Treanor at one time resided in this city. He was a member of Lancelot Lodge, K. of P. of this place.

A HEARTS PARTY.

Miss Fannie Dorrance Entertains a Number of Her Lady Friends.

Miss Fannie Dorrance entertained about twenty of her lady friends at a hearts party at her home, on Linden avenue, from 3 to 7 p. m., yesterday. The ladies spent a delightful afternoon and the guests are loud in the praises of their hostess.

The first prize, a souvenir spoon, was won by Mrs. J. F Dusenberry and the second, a pack of playing cards, by Miss Ella Wiggins.

BRIDGE BIDS REJECTED.

Deerpark's Highway Commissioners Won't Pay Fancy Prices for Bridges

The Highway Commissioners, of the town of Deerpark, yesterday, opened bids from six different bridge building firms for an iron bridge across Spring Brook, at Godeffroy, and rejected them all on the ground that they were too high.

The bridge is to be 38 feet long, 14 feet wide and 9 feet high. The bids ranged from $552 to $580.

County Sunday School Association Convention.

The Nineteenth Annual Convention of the Orange County Sunday School Association, will be held at the First Presbyterian church, of Port Jervis, on the 15th and 16th of May, and an excellent programme has been prepared, including addresses by Rev. A. H. McKenney, Ph. D, pastor of Olive Memorial church, New York, one of the city's most prominent Sunday school workers; by Rev. J. W. F. Carlisle, of Newburgh, Rev. E. P. St. John, State Field Secretary, and others.

Tendered His Resignation

Mr. E. M. Lyon, who for the past six years has been the cashier at the Wells-Fargo Express office, in this city, tendered his resignation, yesterday.

Mr. Lyon has more than one business arrangement in view, but has not yet decided what he will do.

Cheap Rate to New York,

The N. Y. O. & W. will run a spring excursion to New York, Tuesday, April 30. Tickets will be good going on any train that day. Good returning up to and including May 6 Fare $1.68 round trip.

Trains leave Wickham avenue at 7:55 and 8:10 a. m., and 4 30 p. m. Main street, at 7:57 and 8:12 a. m., and 4 32 p. m.

Cuticura

the great SKIN CURE

Instantly Relieves TORTURING Skin Diseases

And the most distressing forms of itching, burning, bleeding, and scaly skin, scalp, and blood humors, and will in a majority of cases permit rest and sleep and point to a speedy, permanent, and economical cure when physicians, hospitals, and all other methods fail. CUTICURA WORKS WONDERS, and its cures of torturing, disfiguring, humiliating humors are the most wonderful ever recorded.

Sold throughout the world Price, CUTICURA, 50c, SOAP, 25c, RESOLVENT $1. POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. CORP., Sole Props., Boston. "All about the Skin and Blood," 64 pages, mailed free.

*** Facial Blemishes, pimply, oily, mothy skin, falling hair, and simple baby rashes prevented and cured by Cuticura Soap.

MUSCULAR STRAINS, PAINS and weakness, back ache, weak kidneys, rheumatism, and chest pains relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster.

Relief In One Day.

SOUTH AMERICAN NERVINE relieves the worst cases of Nervous Prostration, Nervousness and Nervous Dyspepsia in a single day. No such relief and blessing has ever come to the invalids of this country. Its powers to cure the stomach are wonderful in the extreme. It always cures; it cannot fail. It radically cures all weakness of the stomach and never disappoints. Its effects are marvelous and surprising.—It gladdens the hearts of the suffering and brings immediate relief. It is a luxury to take and always safe. Trial bottles 15 cents. Sold by J. E. Mills, Druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

Shortsightedness.

To waste money on vile, dirty, water mixtures, compounded by inexperienced persons, when you have the opportunity of testing Otto's Cure free of charge. Why will you continue to irritate your throat and lungs with that terrible hacking cough when J. J. Chambers, of 21 West Main street, will furnish you a free sample bottle of this great guaranteed remedy? Hold a bottle of Otto's Cure to the light and observe its beautiful golden color and thick heavy syrup. Largest packages and purest goods. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

GET YOUR
JOB PRINTING
DONE AT THE
Argus and Mercury Office

ANYTHING IN THE PRINTING LINE AT SHORT NOTICE.

FIRST-CLASS WORK GUARANTEED

PRICES ALWAYS RIGHT.

☞ We are prepared, as never before, to furnish fine wedding, or other invitations, at very moderate cost.

F. O ROCKAFELLOW & BRO., Undertakers and Embalmers, 99 North street Lady assistant. Telephone No 3 dlyMch15

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, corner West Main and James Sts. Lady assistant. Telephone Nos 10 and 22.

DOUGHERTY & REILLY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 50 Cottage Street, Middletown Telephone 12—night and day

75
Cents a Bushel
FOR
POTATOES.

-SLOAT'S-
Cash Store.

CARSON & TOWNER.

BLACK GOODS.

We Invite Inspection to Our Display of Black Dress Fabrics.

We are showing all the new weaves, and the very best values in staple styles. Special attention is called to our French Serges at 40, 45, 50, 75c, and $1 per yard, and Wool Henriettas at the same price. When you want Black Silks see us

CARSON & TOWNER,
No. 11 WEST MAIN STREET, MIDDLETOWN

EASTER

Neckwear, Gloves, Collars, Canes, Overcoats, Suits, Extra Pantaloons, Silk Hats, all the latest in Derbies and Soft Hats

Merchant Tailoring Department

Is rushing with orders. We had to put on two extra men this week. People say we have the finest and best line of foreign and domestic goods in the city for suits, overcoats and extra trouserings The style, cut, trimmings and workmanship tell the story. P. S.—Boys, remember, we have more of those bats and balls to go with your suits, and the place is at

JOHN E. ADAMS',
Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher
No. 41 North Street, Middletown.

WE ARE SHOWING A VERY ATTRACTIVE LINE OF

Dress Goods This Week.

A line of novelties at $1 69 $1 85 and $2 69 sell rapidly. We show over 50 styles at these prices.

Linings, Silks, Gimps, Laces, etc., to match.

Our stock of Ladies' Waists are sellers. They possess the merits of style, quality and low prices We show 50 styles from 25c to $1.50 each.

Are you looking for Corsets or Waists? We are showing the greatest stock ever shown in town.

See our Summer Corsets at 39c and 50c.

See our line of Children's Waists at 10, 25 and 29c.

H. E. Churchill & Co.
39 NORTH ST

SEED POTATOES.

Early Rose, Beauty of Hebron, extra fine White Star, Mall's Extra Early Freeman.

C. N. PREDMORE
16d6t

Samuel Lipfeld,
25 NORTH ST.

A Just the thing you need to brighten up your cutaway NEW coat. Have not you noticed how many PAIR OF men have thus tided themselves TRUSERS over the seeming necessity of buying a new suit just now, by adding a pair of our custom made trousers to their wardrobe? There is nothing in the city a more honest bargain than a pair of our trousers at three, four, five or six dollars per pair. They are made after your own ideas if you wish, just as you want them, as to every detail, and a perfect fit, costing no more than the ready made ones. We have a full assortment of all the spring styles that ought to bring more than we charge, but we are determined to acquaint you with their merits. You do yourself an injustice if you don't examine the goods.

SAMUEL LIPFELD,
25 North Street.

LAUNDRY!

Crescent Steam Laundry,

formerly the City Laundry, has removed from 266 North street to

101 FULTON ST.,

one door from Academy avenue, Middletown with a new building, improved machinery and the best of facilities, employing none but the most experienced workmen, we are prepared to give the best satisfaction to the most fastidious and exacting All goods called for and delivered. City agencies have been established at the following places, where packages may be left and when done will be delivered to your home or place of business, as desired H. A. Bay r, 92 North street; C. S. Cooper, 9 West Main street; D. Babcock, cor. Lake and Wickham avenues; T. Cohalan, 255 North street, Smith & Co., Beattie and Prince streets. Family washing taken by the week or piece On all work entrusted to our care, we guarantee a satisfaction Respectfully,

VAIL & McCREA.

EVANS BROS.

Ice Cream and Ices.

All orders filled on short notice. Factory—Hurleyville, Sullivan County, N. Y.

Office and Store, 31 North St., Middletown
16d12t

Study Your Heart

NEARLY EVERY FOURTH PERSON HAS HEART DISEASE.

ARE YOU INTERESTED? Free An elegant Treatise, "The Heart," with colored plates Free Name this paper. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co. — Elkhart, Ind 1td&w

HANFORD & HORTON.

We Have Remarked

several times that we sell Pocket Books You may not have been interested before, perhaps you are now.

Let us show you our stock of Pocket Books, Purses, Card Cases and Bill Books The goods and the prices will do the rest.

Combination Card Case and Pocket Book only 25c. All sorts of pocket conveniences in seal, lizard, alligator and Russia leather.

We have some other things in Books and Stationery you may desire.

Hanford & Horton,
6 North Street.

PERSONAL.

If young lady who admired gentleman's feet, on Midway Park car, has a brother, tell him the shoes were

Bradley's
$2.50 Russet.

JOHN BRADLEY,
57 North St.

BICYCLERS,
WHEELMEN.

We have no wheels to sell, but we have clothing for wheelmen, which is as necessary for comfort as a bed is to sleep in Sweaters 25 cents up, special grades 50c, black or ecru; all wool jersey sweaters, summer weight, $1, caps 25c up, stockings 25c up, pants or coats at popular prices.

Morris B. Wolf, Clothing, Hats, and Furnishings, 10 North Street.

SPECIAL SALE
OF
Boys' and Children's Suits!

For the next ten days we will give a discount of ten per cent. on all Boys' and Children's Suits, including our new Spring Goods.

All goods marked in plain figures.

GEO. W. YOUNG.

Co-Operative Building Bank.

Home Office 309 Broadway, New York City

Loans money to buy or build homes in amounts from $1,000 to $10,000 to be paid for by monthly installments same as rent.

The Co-Operative Building Bank has nearly 200 branch offices in New York, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Maryland and District of Columbia. It now has nearly $700,000 already loaned on first mortgages. $13.67 per month pays for a seven-room house in about nine years. $5 per month invested in the Co-Operative Building Bank Thirty Day Installment Stock, as an investment, will net the holder $1,000 in about nine years.

The above bank has a branch office in Middletown, with offices in Central Building, corner North street and Railroad avenue, and are prepared to loan money immediately on good rentable home property, to buy or build homes, to be paid back by monthly installments same as rent.

The above bank also has local branches established in Bloomingburgh, Warwick, Florida, Unionville, Westtown, Johnson, Slate Hill, Otisville, Port Jervis, Maybrook and Campbell Hall.

For circulars and full information apply or write to L. P. KNICKERBOCKER, Dist. Supt., Central Building, Middletown, N. Y. d&sw

WALL PAPER!

We have just received another invoice of Wall Paper. The people of Middletown appreciate quality, and know where to find the finest colorings and largest assortment, and at prices that are rock bottom. That's what talks. Our April business so far is 50 per cent. larger than last year. We are pleased to note this, and are satisfied that our efforts to get the best goods at the lowest possible prices, is what talks. Our Carpet Department is simply booming, and we are not surprised, as our assortment of floor coverings is simply immense. Axministers, Body Brussels, etc, at prices never before heard of. If there is any advantage in buying in large quantities, we are in shape to do it, as our buyer, Mr. C. E. Crawford is in New York every week. We are "up to date" in every line we carry We are headquarters in this part of the State for anything in furniture, carpets, crockery, wall paper, etc.

C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North street.

BEWARE THE MOTH!

Your winter flannels—your overcoat—your blankets—your furs—will you ever need them again? If so, beware the moth with his fine embroidery.

Our Tar Camphor prevents moth, is safe, sure and cheap.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists. Ask for Cash Checks.

HOUSE CLEANING?

Well maybe you'll want some of our Pure Insect Powder. It's the true Dalmation — usually called "Persian," freshly ground from unopened flowers. (Better make a note of that for most insect powder is inferior and adulterated)

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists. Ask for Cash Checks—save you 5 per cent. on all purchases.

Chamois Skins—handy at house cleaning time. A size containing about 140 square inches 12c each.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists.

The celebrated Derby Waist. Latest novelties! Exclusive designs! in Percales, Madras, Lawns, Cheviots Linettes and Fancy Weaves in solid colors, stripes and figured materials.

Fancher's

7 West Main Street.

DAILY ARGUS.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—Showers, colder in southern portion, to-night; northeasterly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 51°; 12 m., 53°; 3 p. m., 52°.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Millinery, hosiery, shirt waists, ribbons, box paper, soap, etc., cheap at the Economy Store. See adv. on second page.

—Dr. Talcott will deliver a lecture on "His recent trip across the continent" May 23d.

—Pocket conveniences at Hanford & Horton's.

—Premiums offered by Advertising Journal Co. on display in Crawford's window.

—Window shades tacked up at Mathews & Co's

—Golden gloss and plastico, for cleaning, at J. Berkine Mills'.

—E. E. Conkling is agent for the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

Craig will give 2½ per cent. of his earnings to Thrall Hospital.

—Rooms to let by E. E. Conkling.

—Flats to let, 17 Cottage street.

—Good business for sale.

—Rambler Roadster bicycle, weight 20 lbs., for sale by Chas. L. Swezy.

—Suits and pants made to order by Budwig & Co.

—Beautiful hats, flowers, ribbons, etc., at L. Stern's.

New potatoes, onions, mackerel, strawberries, etc., at Bull & Young's old st'd.

—New maple sugar at Mapes Bros.

—Fresh vegetables received daily at C. E. Velie's.

—The Derby waist for sale at Fancher's.

—Dress goods patterns from $1 69 up at H. E. Churchill & Co.'s.

—Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy for sale by all druggists.

—Choice lots for sale by F. Medrick.

—Paine's celery compound for sale by all druggists.

—P. Dougherty will sell you a ticket to the old country for $10

—See adv. of Munyon's Remedies.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Next Friday, May 31, will be Arbor Day.

—Mr. Linn Strait, who has leased the Madison House cafe, had a formal opening last night.

—Ground was broken, yesterday, for the new electric road from Matteawan to Fishkill village.

—A special meeting of the Bachelor's Social Club will be held Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

—Two cars for the new electric road from Orange Lake to Walden arrived in Newburgh, yesterday.

—The Whist Club met, last evening, at the residence of Mr. O. S. Fellows, on Washington street.

—Dr. Willet Kidd, of Newburgh, was yesterday reappointed protector by the new Fish and Game Commission.

—The Walton Acetate Company to manufacture products of distillation was incorporated, yesterday, with a capital of $50,000. The stockholders are residents of Binghamton.

—The total receipts for the two performances of Caprice were $523 50. The exact net results for Thrall Hospital have not yet been ascertained.

—Every member of the Schubert Club is especially requested to be present at the rehearsal, on Monday next.

—A goodly number of houses are in progress of construction about town and carpenters are figuring on the plans for many others.

—Five hundred cans of milk and cream and forty cases of bottled milk are shipped daily over the Delhi Branch of the O. and W.

—Mayor Stansbury still continues to improve and, while all danger is not yet past, as complications might still arise, there is good reason to hope that he is on the road to rapid recovery.

—Bear in mind the "Parish Tea," to be given by the ladies of Grace church, at the Assembly Rooms, on Tuesday evening, April 30th. A fine musical and literary entertainment will be provided. No charge for admission.

—The warm wave is over and those who made haste to doff their winter flannels will probably wish before many days, that they had not been so quick to believe that two warm days in April made summer.

—Bicycle riders on North street beyond the railroad take a great many chances with the electric cars and it is only a question of time before a serious accident results.

—The warm weather of the past few days has caused the buds on many trees to burst and faint tinges of green give promise of the wealth of foliage soon to appear

—Rev. Dr. McGlynn, of Newburgh, performed his first marriage ceremony, since his restoration to the priesthood, on Thursday the bride being a daughter of Henry George, whose single tax theores led Dr. McGlynn into his troubles with his church.

—The firm of McMonagle & Rogers, druggists, of Middletown, have offered to give as a premium to the Sullivan County Fair, next fall, $5 to the lady making the best cake flavored with their extracts.—*Liberty Register.*

—The Old Dominion Steamship Co., has issued a very attractive pamphlet, "Historic Waterways," which contains much valuable information and many handsome illustrations. Copies may be had by addressing the Company at Pier 26, North River, New York.

Erie Engines in Collision.

Two Erie engines had a head and head collision in the Port Jervis yard, Thursday night, and before they could be backed out or separated, a third engine ran into them and all were more or less damaged.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. Ed. Collins, of the Port Jervis *Gazette*, was in town, last evening.

—Mrs. Geo. Lowe, of Houston avenue, is confined to her bed with grip and malaria.

—Miss Flora Jakley, of Grand avenue, is confined to her home with neuralgia.

—Misses Grace M. Burns and Nellie McMillen returned from Middletown, Tuesday.—*Monticello Watchman.*

—Miss Laura Starr, after a two weeks' visit to friends in Middletown, has returned home.—*Monticello Watchman.*

—Mr. Geo. E. Johnson, of Jamestown, N. Y., is here on a visit to the family of his cousin, Mr Walter Terwilliger, No 12 Smith street. This is his first visit here in 20 years.

—Mrs. Theo. Tinney, of Jersey City is visiting relatives in this city.

—Mr. Chas. H. Whitney went to Binghamton this morning, on a business trip. He will also visit his parents at Lisle, Broome Co.

—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lipfeld returned from their wedding tour last evening, and are stopping at present with Mr. Lipfeld's father on West Main street. They expect to locate in their home on Benton avenue next week. Mrs. Abram Bestoff, mother of the bride, arrived in this city on Erie train one to-day.

—Thomas Watts, Esq., received, yesterday afternoon, a telegram from Vernon H. Brown & Co., the New York agents for the Cunard Line, announcing that the Lucania on which his mother, Mrs. Sarah Watts, was a passenger, had passed Browhead at noon.

—Mrs C. H. Swezy, of this city, will assist in the musical services at the Presbyterian church in Port Jervis to-morrow evening. She will sing two solos: "One Sweetly solemn thought" and "Oh! for the Wings of a Dove."

—Rev. Jesse Coddington, our new English minister, preached his first sermon in the M. E. Church, Sunday morning. Everybody says he did well.—*Jeffersonville Record.*

—Messrs. Arlington Ambler and Howard Hagan attended a hop given by the Misses Seward and Millspaugh at Interpines, the residence of the former in Goshen, last night. Thirty-five couples were present.

RUN OVER BY AN ENGINE.

A Port Jervis Boy Has One Leg Cut Off and the Other Badly Crushed.

Joseph Flement, a thirteen-year-old Port Jervis boy, got on the pilot of the engine of train 33 at Germantown, yesterday afternoon, intending to ride to the depot.

When he attempted to alight, the heel of his shoe caught between the rods of the pilot and in trying to extricate it he fell off and the wheels passed over both legs.

The right leg was completely severed near the knee and the other was badly crushed, but an effort will be made to save it.

A MONSTER BISON.

Mr. Gunther the Owner of the Finest Specimen Ever Captured.

Mr. Gunther is the owner of the mounted head and tanned skin of the largest buffalo ever seen on the great plains. An idea of its size may be had from the fact that its horns are three inches longer than any ever captured. As buffalo horns are very short these extra three inches mean a great deal.

The specimen is now in New York and will be at Madison Square Garden during the sportmen's exhibition from May 13th to May 18th.

After this exhibition Mr. Gunther will bring the buffalo to this city. It will be taken to New York again in July for exhibition in Central Park, after which it will be kept in Middletown permanently, unless some one should offer Mr. Gunther more money than he considers it worth and that would be a large sum indeed.

ANOTHER BRIGHT MIDDLETOWN BOY.

Master Howard J. Powelson Graduates From Hahnemann With Distinguished Honors.

Assistant District Attorney Powelson is the recipient of the hearty congratulations of his friends on his advices, to-day, that his son, Howard J., has graduated from Hahnemann Medical College third in his class of one hundred, and with the remarkably high per centage of 98 2. As a rule of the college is that no student can be awarded a diploma until he has reached his majority, Master Howard will have to wait several months before he can receive the parchment he has so handsomely won.

Lancelot Lodge, K. of P.

At a regular meeting of Lancelot Lodge, K. of P., held, last evening, the third rank, that of Knight, was conferred upon Messrs. Chas. Miller, Geo. Van Schaick and Isaac Hasbrouck. The rank of Page was conferred upon one candidate.

Base Ball Notes.

—Manager Cook, of the Asylums, has decided to open the season about May 20th with a game with some first class team.

—Powell, one of the crack players of the Hempsteads, has asked for a place on the Asylum team, which will probably be given him.

A NEW ELECTRIC RAILROAD SCHEME

Negotiations Pending That May Result in Building a Road to Deckertown.

If Rev. C. M. Winchester succeeds in interesting outside capitalists in an electric railway on which he has been working for some time, an electric railway to Slate Hill, Johnson, Westtown, Unionville and Deckertown, with a possibility of an extension to Port Jervis, will be built.

The route proposed is from Franklin Square over the tracks of the Traction Company to Canal street, through that street to the city limits, thence following in the main the line of the south plank road.

The parties with whom Mr. Winchester is negotiating are largely interested in the construction and operation of electric roads and have given Mr. Winchester assurances which make him hopeful of the ultimate success of the scheme.

Mr. Winchester and a party interested in the new road made a trip over the Port Jervis branch of the route (ten miles) this morning. They were highly pleased with the trip.

FIREMAN AS A FIREBUG.

An Ambitious Fireman Gets Twenty Years for Incendiarism

A representative of an insurance Co. who was in Port Jervis yesterday looking after his company's interests in connection with some of the recent incendiary fires in that village, stated to a *Union* reporter that the village of Tonawanda had recently undergone an experience in incendiary fires very similar to that through which Port Jervis is now passing. Detectives were set to work and their efforts resulted in the detection, arrest conviction and sentence to twenty years imprisonment of the guilty person, who proved to be a foreman of one of the local fire companies. His sole motive was to be the first at fires. His conviction and sentence occurred only last week.

The Woman's Paper.

—An erroneous impression prevails that the woman's edition of the ARGUS will be published more than one day. The paper will only be issued one day,—on Saturday next.

—Orders for copies of the woman's edition of the ARGUS sent to the Low building will receive prompt attention.

—Have you anything to advertise? If you have remember the "Woman's Edition of the ARGUS" will be a valuable medium for it is to have a circulation of at least 5,000 copies and will be distributed not only in Orange, but also through adjoining counties. Any communication addressed to Box 204, will reach the committee in charge of this department.

Pine Bush Church Without a Pastor.

Rev. Mr. Jamison, of Pine Bush, went to Deposit on Erie train 1, today, to enter upon that charge, much to the regret of the members of the Pine Bush Church.

It is not yet known who will fill the pulpit at Pine Bush, but the church authorities will be expected to send a good man there. The congregation is not one that will be satisfied with a minister who is not wanted anywhere else. Besides, some compensation for their disappointment over the transfer of Rev. Mr. Jamison is expected.

"From a Texas Ranch to the Foot of the Cross."

The above is the heading of a hand bill used by two young men, who are now in Newburgh holding religious meetings. They are Chas. E. Moore, a converted cowboy and Geo. L. Burrell, a converted actor. They were in town, to-day, arranging for a series of meetings in this city, next week. The meetings will be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and possibly during the remainder of the week, at the First Baptist Church.

Shorter Hours at the O. and W Shops.

For reasons known only to the officials of the O. and W., the employes in the shops, in this city, have been put on shorter time. For the first four days in the week the men will work nine hours a day and on Friday eight hours, making a total of 44 hours each week. The shops will be shut down Saturdays. The new arrangement went into effect yesterday.

Building Contract Awarded.

Mrs. Fanny Story has awarded the contract for a large double house which she will erect on Houston avenue, near East avenue. Mr. Theodore W. Datley will do the carpenter work and Mr. Robert Vaughn the mason work.

Manager Hathaway to Entertain His Players.

Mr. Odell S. Hathaway will entertain the "Caprice" company at the Oriental Hotel, Monday evening. The invitations are to a full dress rehearsal, and the gratifying assurance is conveyed that "real properties will be used in the banquet scene."

The Evolution.

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all leading druggists.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

A Social Party at Interpines—Advertised Letters—A Reward Offered—Fraternal Visit of Knights of Pythias—Prayer Meeting Topics.

(From Our Regular Correspondent)

—Misses Matie Seward and May Millspaugh entertained about 100 of their friends at "Interpines," the home of Miss Seward, last night. The house was handsomely decorated with cut flowers and potted plants, the more elaborate display being in the large double parlors, where the dancing took place. The guests were served with refreshments during the evening. The music was furnished by Berg's orchestra. There were many present from Middletown, Chester, Monroe, Washingtonville, Warwick, New York and other places. The evening was most enjoyably spent by everyone present.

—Letters for the following persons remain unclaimed in the Goshen post office: Mrs. Tempils Hills, Mrs. Maggie Mabee, Mrs. Martha Miller, Miss L. VanDuzer, Edward Green, M. H. Hoyt, John Hallock Drake, E. L. Vesta', Mr. and Mrs. George W. Henry, M. E. F.

—About twenty years ago Mr. Theodore R. Pelson was the proprietor of the VanNort House in this village. Paterson, N. J., papers state that he died in that city on April 13 h.

—Mr. F. M. McGill started, yesterday, on a visit to his parents at Rouse's Point, N. Y.

—Mr. Henry J. Miller offers a reward of $200 for the arrest and conviction of the parties who on Wednesday night entered his cart factory in this village and defaced with daubs of paint one of his finished carts. The cart was of special design and was manufactured by Mr. Miller for a customer in Brooklyn, to whom it was to be shipped to-day.

—A number of the members of King Arthur Lodge, K. of P. paid a fraternal visit to Lancelot Lodge of Middletown last night.

—An awning is being erected in front of the waiting room at the trolley road terminus in this village.

—Prayer meeting topics at the churches to-morrow: C. E.—"Why and when and how should we pray?" Psalms 31, 1 10 15-17; Christie Hayne, leader. Y. P. S. C. E.—"Communion with Christ;" John 14: 18 23; R. H. Wood, leader. Epworth League—"The mystery of evil;" Job 6: 1-4; 7, 1-11; Carrie Doremus leader.

A CRAMPUS SAILS AWAY.

A Hand Car Runs Before the Wind and Is Struck by an O. and W. Engine.

Yesterday the section gang on the Crawford branch of the Erie started out to burn the dead grass along the tracks to prevent its being set on fire by an engine when there would be no one to prevent its spreading to the fields.

One party went ahead to fire the grass and another followed at some distance to put out the flames after they had burned over the company's lands.

Some distance the other side of Crawford Junction the party in the rear left the hand car on the track, while they were at work putting out the fire, when a gust of wind came up, struck the hand car and started it down the grade.

The men who were ahead saw the car coming but could do nothing to stop it, as it was running at a speed of twenty miles an hour.

At Crawford Junction the grampus struck the switch and jumped the rails. But just then an O. and W. train came along, struck the grampus and carried it fully 1,000 feet over the ties.

Both engine and grampus escaped with little damage.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—Ex Congressman Haines, the President of the Monticello, Port Jervis and New York Railroad, purchased, yesterday, a controlling interest in the Kinderhook and Hudson Railway.

GEO B ADAMS & CO.

Saturday---

Our Shoe Day.

Here are the bargains.

One case Ladies' Dongola Oxford Ties, turned, patent tip, at 69 cts a pair. You cannot match them at 75c a pair.

Our regular $2 00 Dongola button shoes at $1 79 a pair.

$2.98 button shoes at $2.48 a pair.

Ladies' hand-turned, high grade Dongola button shoes, regular $3.69, for $3 a pair.

These prices are for Saturday only.

New silk and velvet caps this a. m.; all at popular prices.

200 Cretonne Head Rests at 9c each. This is our second lot of head rests, and they go quickly at 9c each.

Special Time Sale, Monday, from 9 to 11 a. m.

200 yards of Unbleached Sheeting, used for dancing crash, at 8c a yard.

One bale Brown Twill Toweling 2½c a yard.

See our 33 inch Jaconette at 9c a yard,

By watching the changes in dressmaking and keeping our lining stock full of up to date lining, we have more than doubled our business in this department

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO

Moths,

Bugs,

Roaches

exterminated, if you use the Magic Insect Exterminator.

The most effectual, cleanly and convenient article put up for disposing of vermin of any kind. 25c. We have the agency.

W. D. OLNEY, DRUGGIST.

HAPPINESS!

You all seek it, but some don't seek it in the right place We have made many happy, will make more so by fitting them out in new clothes that are up to date, at the minimum cost. Suits from $12.50. Trousers $3 up.

DON'T BE A READY MADE MAN

MIDDLETOWN CLOTHING MANUFACTORY

39 West Main Street.

Branch Kingston Clothing Manufactory.

B. F. GORDON,

Practical WatchMaker, Jeweler and Engraver, 55 North St., Opp. Press Office.

SPECIALTIES!

Set and Unset Diamonds,

WATCHES,

Jewelry and Artistic

Cut Glass.

FINE WATCH AND JEWELRY REPAIRING

Letter and Monogram Engraving

IN

THE LATEST STYLE OF THE ART

B. F. GORDON,

55 North St, Opposite Press Office.

C. J. GIERING,

Practical Watchmaker, Jeweler and Optician.

The repairing of all intricate Watches, Clocks and Jewelry receives my personal attention.

Eyes examined and fitted with glasses.

C. J. GIERING,
OPTICIAN,
7 NORTH ST.

Haskell's Dyspepsia Tablets

are a certain cure for all forms of dyspepsia. Have never been known to fail. Pleasant to take and acceptable to the most delicate stomach. Distressed feeling after eating, flatulence, lump in the throat, sour or irritable stomach, sick headache, nausea, vomiting, car sickness, sea sickness, liver trouble, dizziness, bad complexion, dysentery, offensive breath, and all disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels, sleeplessness, summer complaint, nervous exhaustion, late suppers, or over indulgence in stimulants perfectly cured by Haskell's Dyspepsia Tablets. The nutrition of the body depends not alone upon the food but its proper digestion. Haskell's Dyspepsia Tablets perform this work pleasantly, perfectly, harmlessly; they also act as a general tonic for the system. If you cannot get them at your druggists, send 25c. direct to the proprietor and receive a bottle by return mail. Prepared only by

DR. HASKELL,

7 West 42d Street, New York

When You Build

A New House

or remodel your old one

Pay Strict Attention to the

PLUMBING

and Ventilation.

J. C. DEGNAN & CO.

No. 38 West Main St.,

Make this week A SPECIALTY. Call on them, or write for ESTIMATES ON ALL WORK in this line.

PROF. NIEL,

government chemist, writes: I have carefully analyzed your "Royal Ruby Port Wine," bought by me in the open market, and certify that I found the same absolutely pure and well aged. This wine is especially recommended for its health-restoring and building up properties; it strengthens the weak and restores lost vitality; particularly adapted for convalescents, the aged, nursing mothers and those reduced and weakened by over-work and worry. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby", $1 per quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Sold by

J. E. MILLS DRUGGIST.

HEART DISEASE,

like many other ailments when they have taken hold of the system, never gets better of its own accord, but ***Constantly grows worse.*** There are thousands who know they have a defective heart, but will not admit the fact. They don't want their friends to worry, and ***Don't know what to take for it,*** as they have been told time and again that heart disease was incurable. Such was the case of Mr. Silas Farley of Dyesville, Ohio who writes June 19, 1894, as follows:

"I had heart disease for 23 years, my heart hurting me almost continually. The first 15 years I doctored all the time, trying several physicians and remedies, until my last doctor told me it was only a question of time as I could not be cured. I gradually grew worse, very weak, and completely discouraged, until I lived, propped half up in bed, because I ***couldn't lie down*** nor sit up. Thinking my time had come I told my family what I wanted done when I was gone. But on the first day of March on the recommendation of Mrs. Fannie Jones, of Anderson, Ind., I commenced taking ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart*** and wonderful to tell, in ten days I was working at light work and on March 19 commenced framing a barn, which is heavy work, and I have'nt lost a day since. I am 56 years old, 6 ft. 4½ inches and weigh 250lbs. ***I believe I am fully cured,*** and I am now only anxious that everyone shall know of your wonderful remedies."

Dyesville, Ohio. SILAS FARLEY.

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1 6 bottles for $5 or it will be sent, prepaid on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure

Restores Health

Don't Your Carriage or Wagon

Need Washing or Polishing?

We have an elegant line of Sponges and Chamois Skins, suitable for such purposes; all prices.

CITY PHARMACY.

GEO. H. HILL & CO.,

COR. NORTH AND CORTLAND STS.

HUMPHREYS' VETERINARY SPECIFICS

For Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Dogs, Hogs, and Poultry.

500 Page Book on Treatment of Animals and Chart Sent Free.

CURES (Fevers, Congestions, Inflammation
A.A. (Spinal Meningitis, Milk Fever.
B.B.—Strains, Lameness, Rheumatism.
C.C.—Distemper. Nasal Discharges.
D.D.—Bots or Grubs, Worms.
E.E.—Coughs, Heaves, Pneumonia.
F.F.—Colic or Gripes, Bellyache.
G.G.—Miscarriage, Hemorrhages.
H.H.—Urinary and Kidney Diseases.
I.I.—Eruptive Diseases, Mange.
J.K.—Diseases of Digestion, Paralysis.

Single Bottle (over 50 doses), - - .60
Stable Case, with Specifics, Manual, Veterinary Cure Oil and Medicator, $7.00
Jar Veterinary Cure Oil, - - 1.00

Sold by Druggists; or sent prepaid anywhere and in any quantity on receipt of price.

HUMPHREYS' MED. CO., 111 & 113 William St., New York.

HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFIC No. 28

In use 30 years. The only successful remedy for

Nervous Debility, Vital Weakness,

and Prostration, from over-work or other causes. $1 per vial, or 5 vials and large vial powder, for $5. Sold by Druggists, or sent postpaid on receipt of price.

HUMPHREYS' MED. CO., 111 & 113 William St., New York.

FOR SALE.

Popular Hotel and a Money Maker.

Owner of one of the best, most popular, oldest established successful, all year country hotels in this section of the state, desiring to retire, instructs me to offer same for sale for a short time, at right figure and on easy terms. This popular hotel is located within an hour's ride of this city, in an important town, and upon very popular drive, is about 90x40, 3 stories, with large sheds, barns, carriage houses, etc.; all buildings in first-class order and condition. Hotel has large, steady, all year business, and in summer is crowded to its utmost capacity with city boarders. For further particulars apply to

A. V. BOAK,

Real Estate Agent. 85 North street.

MONEY TO LOAN.

$50,000, in sums of $5,000 and upward, on improved city property.
$1,000 on city property.

FOR SALE.

One of the best Farms in Orange county, containing about 200 acres.
House and Lot on Roberts street. Desirably located.
Other desirable properties for sale and to let.

CASE & TAYLOR,

Insurance and Real Estate Agents, No. 18 North St., Stern's Building, Middletown.

ELY'S CREAM BALM

Is quickly absorbed. Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation. Heals the Sores. Protects the Membrane from Additional Cold. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell.

CATARRH

IT WILL CURE HAY-FEVER

A particle is applied into each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50c. at druggists or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren street, New York

A SONG OF FATHERLAND.

I've wandered east, I've wandered west,
In gypsy wise a random roamer,
Of men and maids I've known the best,
Like the far traveled king in Homer.

But, oh, for the land that bore me!
Oh, for the stout old land
Of breezy Ben and winding glen
And roaring flood and sounding strand.

I've stood where stands in pillared pride
The shrine of Jove's spear-shaking daughter,
And humbled Persia stained the tide
Of free Greek seas with heaps of slaughter.

I've stood upon the rocky crest
Where Jove's proud eagle spreads his pinion,
Where looked the god far east, far west,
And all he saw was Rome's dominion.

I've seen the domes of Moscow far,
In green and golden glory gleaming,
And stood where sleeps the mighty czar,
By Neva's flood so grandly streaming.

I've stood on many a famous spot
Where blood of heroes flowed like rivers,
Where Deutschland rose at Gravelotte,
And dashed the strength of Gaul to shivers.

I've fed my eyes by land and sea,
With sights of grandeur streaming o'er me
But still my heart remains with thee,
Dear Scottish land, that stoutly bore me.

Oh, for the land that bore me!
Oh, for the stout old land,
With mighty Ben and winding glen,
Stout Scottish land, my own dear land!

—John Stuart Blackie.

A DUOLOGUE.

This is not a "problem story."

Neither does it discuss the advantages or disadvantages of having "new women" in our midst.

It is a true tale.

And it concerns a good man and a bad woman.

They would never have met if the London county council had come into existence a few years earlier than it did, because he saw her at the Empire. The exact date was Aug. 25, and it was a very hot night.

The curtain had fallen on the last scene of the ballet. The man rose from his seat and walked across the promenade toward the bar.

He passed several women, but he did not pass her. He had no intention of stopping, still less of speaking.

Yet, when he saw her, he stopped, and when she stopped he spoke.

I do not remember what he said.

They sat down together at a little table. A waiter brought them a cup of black coffee and a whisky and soda. He drank the coffee.

They talked, but again I cannot remember what they said.

A man on the stage sang a comic song. A woman on the promenade fainted and was carried away.

Then she said, "Well, are you coming?"

"No," he replied. "I don't know why I stopped or why I spoke to you. I am not 'one of the crowd' here. I am not a performer in the 'Comedy of Life.' I am only an onlooker."

She stared at him. "Then why"—

"I have told you I do not know. Perhaps I thought you looked out of place—here."

"I have been here every evening for 13 months. I ought not to look 'out of place.'"

"Why did you come?"

"Do you expect me to answer that question in this building, surrounded by these people?"

"I am sorry. Of course not. It would resemble a performance by 'The Independent Theater society,' I suppose?"

"I had better go, then, if you do not"—

"No; stay and talk. Are you happy?"

"Hardly."

"Are you miserable?"

"I am not sure."

"Did you ever love anything?"

"Yes."

"What?"

"Life—the trees and fields; the wild moorlands; the sea; the birds that sing in the hedgerows; the cattle in the fields; the horses and dogs at the farms. Yes, I loved life. I loved to feel the wind blowing in my face; I loved to smell the scent of the heather; I loved to hear the song of the mountain streams. Ha, ha! I'm almost poetic! I'm"—

"Go on."

"That is all. Did you ever love anything?"

"Yes."

"Who?"

"No one—I mean only a dog."

"Oh!"

"But he is dead."

"Of course."

"Why 'of course?'"

"Because you loved him."

The man lit a cigarette. "Do you believe in heaven?"

"No; if I did, I should have been dead long ago. I am afraid to die because I don't know what comes after death. I so long for—for peace—for something else—something beautiful—something to love. Do not laugh."

"You are not a bad woman."

"Yes, I am."

"Then you ought not to have been one."

"True. That is the cruel part of it."

They watched the men and women promenading before them. Then the woman said, "It is a strange world."

The man did not answer. He was thinking. She continued: "You are a strange person. Where do you live? What do you do? How do you amuse yourself?"

"Oh, I live alone, quite alone, now my dog is dead. I watch people. I listen to what they say, and—I think."

"What do you think?"

"I think that when he—whoever 'he' is—created men and women he ought to have made them altogether gods or altogether animals. No one in the world is happy, because no one is ever certain whether he—or she—should live for the 'real' or for the 'ideal.' And therefore men decided to seek for both, to be sometimes good and sometimes bad, to play at being gods once a week and beasts twice a week—in fact, to live for the 'real' 6⅓ days out of the 7. And some of us, you know, cannot, as the saying goes, 'do things by halves.' We must be wholly one thing or the other. There is only the 'good' or 'bad.' There is no 'medium' for so me of us. So we leave the choice to fate, and when fate has chosen for us the world rises and either crowns us with the laurel wreath or paints us with colors from the devil's palate. The world is so blind it cannot see that really we had no choice in the matter. I think sometimes fate makes a mistake. She grows weary sometimes and gives the 'good' where she ought to have given the 'bad.'"

"She made a mistake when she chose for me. Say she made a mistake—please."

"She made a mistake. I knew it the moment I saw your face. You were intended to show men the path to heaven."

"And I have only shown them the road to"—

"Hush. Come with me. Come home with me and rest. I live alone. I have never done any good in the world. I have never loved any one or helped any one. I am 'a good man.' It is not my fault. I was meant for 'a bad.' But as fate made a mistake you can trust me. I will try to help you. I will try to make life beautiful for you. I will take you where the sea murmurs among the rocks, where the wind blows the scent of heather across the great wild moors. Come with me"—

The woman rose and gazed at the man with large, dreamy eyes. "What do you mean?"

"I am going to make life beautiful and peaceful and pure—for you."

"Leave off dreaming," she whispered sharply. "Awake! Do you know where you are? Do you see the sort of people who surround us? This is no place for dreams! It is time to go—good night. See here—you have spoken strangely to me—you cannot understand what it means for a woman—like me—to hear a man—like you—speak as you have spoken. My God! Why didn't I meet you before?"

He laughed. "Because fate made a mistake."

"Listen! You are a good man. Perhaps you won't be one always—never mind the music—listen! When I'm dead, tell the world what you have told me. Yes I know—it's nothing. That may be so, but tell them what happened tonight and what I said. You are a good man, and you will do some good in the world, because good men are rare. Do as I've said, and you'll help us women. Goodby. You don't know what you've done for me tonight, what I feel—goodby! When I'm dead—don't forget. Oh, I am a fool to"—

The orchestra was playing "God Save the Queen," and the woman disappeared into the crowd. The man watched the electric lights go out. He lit a cigarette. Then some one told him it was time to leave the building. He ran out quickly into the street and searched for her, but she could not be found.

And all this happened some time ago, as I have said, and it is all quite true.

And the man has not forgotten his promise.—Pall Mall Budget.

A Lame man is scarcely more than half a man either in comfort or effective work.

Allcock's Porous Plaster

cures all sorts of lameness of the back or limbs resulting from strain or taking cold; also congestion of the chest; everything that an external remedy can reach.

Beware of Imitations. Do not be deceived. Insist upon having "ALLCOCK'S."

Allcock's Corn Shields,
Allcock's Bunion Shields,

Have no equal as a relief and cure for corns and bunions.

Brandreth's Pills

remove indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney complaint.

SUPREME Court, Orange county. William F. Royce, as trustee under a mortgage made and executed by the United States Gas and Water Works Construction Company, plaintiff, against The United States Gas and Water Works Construction Company, Isaac S. Benjamin, Charles F. Lawrence, Clarence Frazer, Henry G. Marshall, Jacob H. Warner, Fred Lasser and James Graham, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above entitled action, bearing date on the 13th day of April, 1895, I, the undersigned Referee, in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Goshen, town of Goshen, county of Orange, and State of New York, on Wednesday, the 5th day of June, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the following described premises, to wit:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the village of Goshen, and State aforesaid, bounded as follows viz:—Beginning on the southerly side of Spring street, at the northwest corner of a lot owned by James Franklin, and running thence southwesterly along Spring street to Belt avenue; thence southwesterly along Belt avenue to the lands of the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company; thence northeasterly along the lands of said railroad company to the lot owned by James Franklin; thence northwesterly along said Franklin lot to the place of beginning; and all the engines, boilers, cupolas, furnaces, forges, lathes, planers, tools, implements, machinery, shafting, belting and fixtures of any and every kind and sort whatsoever, which the said party of the first part, now has or uses in carrying on the business of its foundry and machine shop, at Goshen, aforesaid, and now upon the lands and premises aforesaid, and all additions thereto or substitutes therefor, or for any part or portion thereof, which may at any time before the payment of the moneys agreed to be paid by the bonds hereinbefore mentioned, both for the principal and interest be made or permitted by the said party of the first part, its successors or assigns.

GEORGE H DECKER, Referee.
O'NEILL & ROYCE, attorneys for plaintiff, Middletown, N. Y.
Dated April 20th, 1895. dSat7tJul

Chestnut Coal

$4.40

In the Yard. All Screened.

I. B. A. TAYLOR & CO.,

CORNER MAIN AND MILL STREETS.

MOXONS LINIMENT

for Man or Beast.

CALL FOR SAMPLE BOTTLE

AT

F. M. PRONK.

FOR SALE.

The fine residence of Mrs. Sarah Davis, No. 7 Orchard St., with 10 rooms and all the modern improvements. Lot 50x135½ feet. Everything in first-class order. A rare chance for a bargain to a quick buyer.

GARDNER & M'WILLIAMS,

25 NORTH ST. MIDDLETOWN.

Furniture and Wall Paper

In making your selection, get something sensible and useful, and JACOB GROH, East Main street, next to the Congregational Church, has just exactly what you want. Patent rockers, handsome rockers, beautiful camp chairs, comfortable upholstered chairs, and all the useful and beautiful articles that go to make up the stock of a first-class furniture store. All very cheap, as my expenses are but a fraction of North street dealers, and I give my customers the benefit. Remember the place.

JACOB GROH,

Next to Congregational Church, East Main St

KING'S WINDSOR CEMENT

For Plastering Walls and Ceilings,

FOR SALE BY

CRANE & SWAYZE.

Middletown Steam Carpet Cleaning and Feather Renovating Works,

corner Fulton street and Sprague avenue. Orders received at Hoyt & Galloway's, Pronk's Pharmacy, Bull & Youngblood's, Corwin's, 185 North street; D. Babcock's, corner Lake and Wickham avenues; I. B. A. Taylor's coal yard.

E. H. GREGORY.

Phosphorescent Light.

Some experiments have been made in France to determine the specific action of a considerable lowering of temperature upon the brilliancy of certain bodies which shine in the dark after having been exposed to sunlight. Tubes of glass filled with the powdered sulphides of calcium, barium, strontium, etc., all substances possessing the property of phosphorescence in a high degree, were exposed to the solar rays and afterward proved to be luminous in the dark, this being done in such a way as to fix upon the memory the mean value of the progressive diminution of the emitted light, and the time also was noted during which the light was strong, less strong and weak respectively. The tubes were next placed in bright sunlight for one minute and then suddenly introduced into a double walled glass cylinder, the interspace of which was filled with nitrous oxide at 140 degrees C. In about five or six minutes the temperature of the tubes was some 100 degrees. They were then withdrawn, and when observed in a perfectly dark chamber no luminosity whatever was perceptible. As the tubes recovered their normal temperature, however, the phosphorescence returned without the exciting agency of the sun's rays or of diffused light. These results were proved to be general for all phosphorescent substances employed. The experiments showed, too, that the production of the phosphorescent light requires a certain movement of the constituent molecules of bodies.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in Three Days.

Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had inflammatory rheumatism in every muscle and joint; her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed or six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk in about three days. I am sure it saved her life. Sold by J. F. Mills druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

Are Your Hands Chapped.

If so, go to any drug store and ask for a free sample of Liquid Frap conia, a new preparation for chapped hands. Large bottles, 25c.

COUGHING LEADS TO CONSUMPTION.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles, 50 cents and $1.00. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.

AYER'S The only SARSAPARILLA Admitted at the WORLD'S FAIR CHICAGO 1893

Why Was It

that Ayer's Sarsaparilla, out of the great number of similar preparations manufactured throughout the world, was the only medicine of the kind admitted at the **World's Fair**, Chicago? And why was it that, in spite of the united efforts of the manufacturers of other preparations, the decision of the World's Fair Directors was not reversed?

BECAUSE

According to RULE 15—"Articles that are in any way dangerous or offensive, also patent medicines, nostrums, and empirical preparations, whose ingredients are concealed, will not be admitted to the Exposition," and, therefore—

Because Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine, not a nostrum, and not a secret preparation.

Because its proprietors had nothing to conceal when questioned as to the formula from which it is compounded.

Because it is all that it is claimed to be—a Compound Concentrated Extract of Sarsaparilla, and in every sense worthy the indorsement of the most eminent committees, called together for passing upon the manufactures, products of the entire world.

Ayer's The Only Sarsaparilla

Admitted for Exhibition AT THE WORLD'S FAIR

NEW FIREPROOF HOTEL

50c. Per Day and Upward.

ADAMS HOUSE, NEW YORK

EUROPEAN PLAN.

10th Ave., Two Blocks Below 14th St.

eod1ySept4

DR. CHAS. I. REDFIELD, 12 East Main street, Middletown, N. Y. Office Hours 9 to 10 a. m.; 1 to 2 p. m.; 7 to 8 p. m.; Sundays, 1 to 3 p. m. Over Sewing Machine Office. 7dimMy15

DR. F. M. BARNES and DR. H. C. McBRAIR, Dentists, office on Main street, corner of South street, Middletown. Fine Operative Dentistry a specialty. Sets of teeth made for less money than at any other office in town. All are guaranteed.

DR. D. H. SPRAGUE, Physician and Surgeon, Office Hours—9 to 10 a. m.; 1 to 2 p. m.; 7 to 8 p. m. No. 56 North street, opposite post office. 5dly Dec11

CHARLES J. EVERSON, successor to William W. Reeve, Surveyor and Civil Engineer, Office No. 5 King street, Middletown.

DR. FRED N. FRIEND, Dentist, Office corner North and King streets, Middletown; entrance on King street. Dental work of all kinds. Gas administered.

DRS. T. C. & FRED C. BOYCE, Dental Surgeons. Offices over National Express Co., Franklin Square, Middletown. All branches of dental operations practiced in the most approved methods. Nitrous Oxide Gas administered.

MIDDLETOWN Savings Bank—Money deposited on or before the 10th days of January and July, and the 3d days of April and October, will draw interest from the 1st.

D. F. SEWARD, Attorney and Counsellor at Law. Rooms 2 and 3 Lipfield Building, No. 25 North street, Middletown. Particular attention given to the examination of titles to real estate.

Washington Red Shingles

The very BEST on sale by

C. R. FULLER.

Superior facilities for furnishing Builders and others with MICHIGAN PINE LUMBER of all grades at bottom prices. A full assortment constantly on hand, also Hemlock of all sizes also Southern Yellow Pine. Shingles, Lath, Mouldings, etc., Windows, Doors, Blinds and Blinds a specialty. Building Paper and Roofing Felt always on hand. Sole Agent for Tin Plate, Steel Plate, Galvanized and Copper Shingles, the best Metal Shingles in the market.

C. R. FULLER,

Lumber Yard corner Foundry and Depot St., Middletown, N. Y.

A CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY!

The times are hard, but here is a good show. In the last month I have made $175 selling Climax Dish Washers. I never saw anything take like they do. When any women see me wash the dinner dishes, clean and dry them in one minute, they buy one right away. Anyone can make $6 a day right at home easy. I have not canvassed, so anxious are the people for the Climax, they send for them. Write to the Climax Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ohio, and they will send you circulars. It is easy selling what everybody wants to buy. I will make $3,000 this year easy.

DR. KANE,

138 West 34th Street, New York City,

recently returned from Europe with the latest and most successful treatment for all **Nervous, Sexual and Urinary Diseases of Men,** can be consulted free of cost, 2-5, 7-9 P. M. **Varicocele** cured permanently without cutting. Can refer to numerous patients in New York and near by cities and towns. **Electric Searchlight** for bladder and other parts. Only the most advanced scientific treatment; no humbug, ignorance or quacking of any kind. **Lost Vitality** restored. **Blood Poison** forever eradicated. Analysis of urine free. **Hydrocele** radically cured, without pain or cutting, in 48 hours. **Consultation and Examination Free.** Absolute privacy and secrecy. Obstinate and hopeless cases solicited.

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

MOTHERS, Do You Know that Paregoric, Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, many so-called Soothing Syrups, and most remedies for children are composed of opium or morphine?

Do You Know that opium and morphine are stupefying narcotic poisons?

Do You Know that in most countries druggists are not permitted to sell narcotics without labeling them poisons?

Do You Know that you should not permit any medicine to be given your child unless you or your physician know of what it is composed?

Do You Know that Castoria is a purely vegetable preparation, and that a list of its ingredients is published with every bottle?

Do You Know that Castoria is the prescription of the famous Dr. Samuel Pitcher That it has been in use for nearly thirty years, and that more Castoria is now sold than of all other remedies for children combined?

Do You Know that the Patent Office Department of the United States, and of other countries, have issued exclusive right to Dr. Pitcher and his assigns to use the word "Castoria" and its formula, and that to imitate them is a state prison offense?

Do You Know that one of the reasons for granting this government protection was because Castoria had been proven to be **absolutely harmless?**

Do You Know that **35 average** doses of Castoria are furnished **for 35 cents,** or one cent a dose?

Do You Know that when possessed of this perfect preparation, your children may be kept well, and that you may have unbroken rest?

Well, these things are worth knowing. They are *facts.*

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BEFORE AND AFTER USING.

RESTORED MANHOOD DR. MOTT'S NERVERINE PILLS

The great remedy for nervous prostration and all nervous diseases of the generative organs of either sex, such as Nervous Prostration, Failing of Lost Manhood, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Youthful Errors, Mental Worry, excessive use of Tobacco or Opium, which lead to Consumption and Insanity. With every $5 order we give a written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Sold at $1.00 per box, 6 boxes for $5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, O.

Sold only by **W. D. OLNEY, Middletown.**

DON'T STOP TOBACCO

It is Injurious To Stop Suddenly

And don't be imposed upon by buying a remedy that requires you to do so, as it is nothing more than a substitute. In the sudden stoppage of the use of tobacco you must have some stimulant, and in most all cases, the effect of the stimulant, be it opium, morphine, or other opiates, leaves a far worse habit contracted. Ask your druggist about "BACO-CURO." It is purely vegetable. You do not have to stop using tobacco with "BACO-CURO." It will notify you when to stop and your desire for tobacco will cease. Your system will be as free from nicotine as the day before you took your first chew or smoke. An ironclad written guarantee to absolutely cure the tobacco habit in all its forms, or money refunded.

We have Hundreds, we publish but few.

Office of the Pioneer Press Co.,
C. W. Hornick, Supt.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 7, 1894.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being at least. I tried the so-called "Keeley Cure," "No-To-Bac," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Baco-Curo." Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured: I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it.
Yours very truly, C. W. HORNICK.

Rodden, Ill., Jan. 14, 1895.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for thirty-three years and during the past two years have used chewing tobacco very extensively. My nervous system being affected considerable. I have often tried to give up the use of tobacco, but always failed, until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I used tobacco at the same time while taking "Baco-Curo," and after a week I lost the appetite for tobacco—smoking or chewing. I am enjoying better health, and consider your "Baco-Curo" the safest, most harmless and reliable remedy for to break the tobacco habit.
Yours truly, JOHN RODDEN,
Postmaster, Rodden, Ill.

Rodden, Ill., Jan. 15, 1895.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Dear Sirs—I have used chewing tobacco very extensively the past thirty years. I tried so-called "No-To-Bac" and other remedies, but without success, until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I continued chewing tobacco while taking the preparation and find that the horrible craving for tobacco has left me, and I consider myself cured. I can fully recommend "Baco-Curo" to any person wishing to break themselves of the tobacco habit.
Yours very truly, D. S. WHITE.

Independence, Wis., Jan. 28, 1895.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., LaCrosse, Wis.
Gentlemen—Last summer I furnished Mr James Reid, of the town of Burnside, Trempealeau Co., with three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." He had chewed tobacco for over forty years and the last year used over sixty-five pounds. He commenced using "Baco-Curo" and one box did not have the effect, when he had used about one-half of the second box, he began to lose his taste for tobacco, and when he had used one-half of the third box he had lost all his appetite for it, and is now entirely cured.
Yours truly, J. C. TAYLOR, Druggist.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to certify that I, William S. Sawyer of Atlantic County of Cass, State of Iowa, having been an inveterate smoker of tobacco, bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo" Dec. 21, 1894. Began taking same according to directions and can say that I am completely cured of the tobacco habit. "Baco-Curo" is simply wonderful and I recommend it to all who are slaves to the tobacco habit and wish to be cured. I am in perfect health and have not felt so well in years. That terrible craving, which every tobacco user has more or less, has completely disappeared and I feel like a new man. Hoping that this may do some one good and lead them to try this wonderful remedy, "Baco-Curo," I remain, Yours truly,
WM. S. SAWYER, Atlantic, Iowa.

Clayton, Nevada Co., Ark., Jan. 28, 1 95.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Gentlemen—For forty years I used tobacco in all its forms. For twenty-five years of that time I was a great sufferer from general debility and heart disease. For fifteen years I tried to quit, but couldn't. I took various remedies, among others "No-To-Bac," "The Indian Tobacco Antidote," "Double Chloride of Gold," etc., etc., but none of them did me the least bit of good. Finally, however, I purchased a box of your "Baco-Curo" and it has entirely cured me of the habit in all its forms, and I have increased thirty pounds in weight and am relieved from all the numerous aches and pains of body and mind. I could write a quire of paper upon my changed feelings and condition.
Yours respectfully, P. H. MARBURY,
Pastor C. P. Church, Clayton, Ark.

WHAT MR. KRAEMER SAYS OF "BACO-CURO."

ATLANTIC, Iowa, Feb 4, 1895.
This is to certify that I, F. D. Kraemer, of Atlantic, Iowa, was an inveterate smoker of cigarettes for more than two years.
About eight weeks ago I bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo." I began taking it according to directions, and after taking one and one-half boxes, all the desire for cigarettes left me, and I have had no desire since.
I can heartily recommend "Baco-Curo" to all who are slaves to the cigarette habit or tobacco habit in any form, and are in search of a cure. I had become so under the influence of cigarettes, I could not remember anything; could not study, unless under the influence of the drug, which is death in the end, if kept up.
Cigarettes are sapping the lives out of more boys and young men to-day, than anything that is known to the world. Boys, before it is too late get some of this remedy that killed the craving for cigarettes in me and save your young life. Restore yourself to manhood. You will feel as though you had escaped an awful doom, and you have, when cured by "Baco-Curo," for you feel like a new being. I never felt better in all my life than at this present writing. I did not know what was the matter with me, until informed by the agent. He told me what was the reason I could not do anything unless under the influence of the death-dealing poison found in cigarettes. I did not believe him at first, until he explained the action on the system. Then bought the goods and thank God and all concerned. I am a sound person to-day. Hoping that this may reach the unfortunate cigarette smoker, I remain, Yours respectfully,
F. D. KRAEMER.

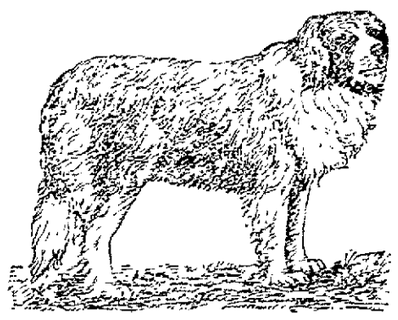
PRICE $1.00 PER BOX OR THREE BOXES (30 days treatment and guaranteed cure,) $2.50. For sale by all druggists or will be sent by mail upon receipt of price. SEND SIX TWO CENT STAMPS for SAMPLE BOX. Booklet and proofs free. Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.

A $12,000 DOG.

The Recently Deceased Sir Bedivere Was the Highest Priced Dog In the World.

Sir Bedivere, whose death was recently reported, was undoubtedly the finest specimen of the rough coated St. Bernard ever sent into a show ring. He was 7 years old and measured 33 inches at the shoulder, while he weighed about 215 pounds.

In 1891, when 3 years old, he was sold to E. B. Sears of Melrose, Mass., for $12,500, which is about the highest price ever paid for a dog. Mr. Sears sold him to W. C. Reick of New York in



SIR BEDIVERE.

1891. In 1893, when Mr. Reick disposed of his kennel, Sir Bedivere was sold to C. A. Pratt of Little Rock, the owner of the Argyle kennels.

Sir Bedivere's career on the bench, with possibly one or two exceptions, was an endless round of triumphs.

While it has frequently been stated that Sir Bedivere was never beaten in the show ring, this is an error, as on his very first appearance in the ring, when he was entered in the novice puppy class at Warwick, England, Prince Regent, who was afterward imported to this country and died here, defeated him. Afterward when Mr. Reick owned him, his kennel companion, Princess Florence, was placed over him in a special class for the best rough coated dog in the show. This decision, however, was not indorsed by good judges, who considered Sir Bedivere the best dog of his breed ever shown.

FAMOUS DERELICT.

The Lumber Laden Woolston at Last Given Up For Lost.

The hydrographic office has at last given up the Woolston for lost. On Sept. 25, 1891, she sailed from the Satilla river, Georgia, lumber laden, for Bath. She became waterlogged and was abandoned off the Virginia coast. Then she began to drift on the high seas—a fearful menace to navigation. She went to the center of the Atlantic and back, was seen 46 times by passing vessels, was boarded three times, set on fire with tar and paraffine in vain, and after covering 8,955 miles, counting by straight lines, was seen last in October—six months ago almost to a day. She was then scooting off toward Nova Scotia. No derelict ever drifted so long before. Three months is their average life. The Woolston is known to have fought the seas successfully alone for three years. She was famous wherever ships go, and now that the sea is rid of her sailors sleep better than they did before. A book is to be written on her "lonely journeys up and down the seas."—Chicago Times-Herald.

FROM SALOON TO SALON.

A Buffalo Liquor House to Be Turned Into a Joint Stock Temperance Affair.

The Gold Dollar saloon, the finest in Buffalo and one of the handsomest in the United States, will be converted into a temperance salon and owned by a joint stock company composed of clergymen and prominent business men of Buffalo.

The proprietor of the Gold Dollar saloon will be secured to take charge of the temperance salon. He is tired of selling liquor, has had a genuine change of heart and sees in this a good opportunity for getting away from present associations. The salon floor is laid with $20 goldpieces, the bar is studded with $50 goldpieces, the walls are hung with fine pictures, and 1,200 incandescent lights furnish many beautiful kaleidoscopic effects.—Philadelphia Press.

Signaling at Sea.

The reported invention of an electrical device whereby the approach of vessels at sea will be signaled to them when they are as much as six miles apart is important if true, and there is no reason to doubt that such an invention may have been made, as inductive effects take place over very long distances. Such a device, if successful, would not only prevent collisions at sea, but would protect war vessels from surprise and give notice of the approach of submerged torpedoes.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Grip,

An experience with this disease during all its past epidemics, warrants the bold claim that *Dr King's New Discovery* will positively cure each and every case if taken in time, and patient takes the ordinary care to avoid exposure. Another thing has been proven, that those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery, escape the many troublesome after results of this disease. By all means get a bottle and try it. It is guaranteed, and money will be returned if no good results follow its use. Sold by McMonagle & Rogers.

For Over Fifty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething, if disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums and reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for MRS WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.

Danger in the Spring

Even for those who get safely through the risks of a harsh and changeable climate; for the strain upon the system through the long months of winter in fighting off its menacing perils always leaves a weakening reaction.

DANA'S Sarsaparilla

Is not only an unequalled blood purifier, but a tonic in its true sense. It drives out of the blood the foul matter that in the winter season unavoidably accumulates there; and acting directly on the nervous system

Gives Health

THE MIDDLETOWN CITY BOOKSTORE
HAVE
The Most Beautiful and Dainty Easter Cards EVER OFFERED.

☞Call and See Them.

S. W. MILLSPAUGH & CO.,
20 NORTH ST.

William F. Royce
Successor to
CHARLES E. SMILEY.
Wholesale and retail dealer in the best grades of

COAL

Pittston, Lehigh & Lackawanna
Red Ash, Stove and Chestnut a Specialty. Also
LUMBERLAND COAL
Blacksmiths always on hand at No. 10 Mossy street, Middletown, N. Y.

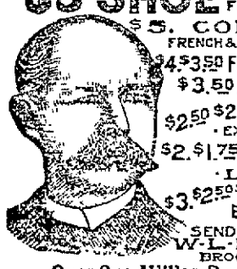
Midway Park Restaurant
now open to the public

DINNER AND LUNCHEON PARTIES PROVIDED FOR.

Assembly Rooms for Balls and Parties.

J. GUNTHER,
Masonic Buildging, 59 North St

W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE IS THE BEST. FIT FOR A KING.



$5. CORDOVAN, FRENCH & ENAMELLED CALF.
$4, $3.50 FINE CALF & KANGAROO
$3.50 POLICE, 3 SOLES.
$2.50 $2. WORKINGMEN'S. EXTRA FINE.
$2, $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES.
LADIES.
$3. $2.50 $2, $1.75
BEST DONGOLA.
SEND FOR CATALOGUE
W. L. DOUGLAS, BROCKTON, MASS.

Over One Million People wear the
W. L. Douglas $3 & $4 Shoes
All our shoes are equally satisfactory
They give the best value for the money.
They equal custom shoes in style and fit.
Their wearing qualities are unsurpassed.
The prices are uniform,—stamped on sole.
From $1 to $3 saved over other makes.
If your dealer cannot supply you we can. Sold by

C. D. HANFORD.

DRAWING OF JURORS

ORANGE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
GOSHEN, N. Y., April 23d, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that a panel of Petit Jurors, to serve at a County Court and Court of Sessions, to be held in and for the county of Orange, at the Court House in Newburgh, on the third Monday of May, 1895, will be drawn at this office on Thursday, May 2d, 1895, at 9 o'clock a. m.

d16.0 w52 W. G. TAGGART, Clerk.

A COSTLY EXPERIENCE.

Which Wound Up With Employing an Unsophisticated Savage.

It's quite the fad now for householders to send their servants to a cooking school and pay all the fees for their culinary education. After taking a course the servant invariably resigns and goes after a place where her superior attainments will command higher remuneration.

"That makes three girls I've had taught to cook," said a Harlem woman who cannot afford to pay more than $17 a month, "and each one has left as soon as I have paid for her tuition. The first one was very anxious to become proficient in the art and spent most of the week at the cooking colleges learning to make complicated dishes. She got so that she could cook anything.

"I resolved to give a dinner party, so as to show off her superior attainments, which my friends had all heard about from me, but had never tested. Two days before the dinner party she decamped. She had got a better situation.

"The next, I was sure, wouldn't play me a shabby trick like that, and I had her graduate. When she got her diploma, she came and demanded a raise of $7 a month in her wages. She left, very much annoyed at my refusal to recognize her increased value.

"The third is the last I shall ever teach anything. She graduated at the head of her class in the Yorkville University of Scientific Household Directors and made the valedictory oration at the commencement.

"It was only a week afterward when I was congratulating myself upon my work, when Delia came running up to me and exclaimed:

"'Hurrah! He'll marry me now. He says I can cook good enough for him, and Father O'Rafferty is going to join us the day after tomorrow.'

"The 'he' she referred to was the policeman on our beat. He had long loved her, but he was an epicure and said that they could not wed until she cooked better. He is perfectly contented with the education I have given her, but he hasn't even expressed his gratitude.

"My cooking is now being done by a red haired savage who thinks eggs should be boiled half an hour and potatoes three minutes, and who refuses to be converted from that idea. I've had enough of giving cooking lessons, though, and I'm letting her have her own way."—New York Herald.

So Selfish!

"There, I am getting wet! That's just like you men—always thinking of yourselves! —Life.

That Boy Could Talk.

The two papas were comparing notes.

"Does your boy talk yet?" asked the papa with red whiskers.

"Well, he's just learning," replied the papa with the bald head. "And, by the way, he's learning a little too fast to suit me too."

"Never heard that complaint before. What does he say?"

"Well, it was this way. You see, we've been in the habit of getting up in the middle of the night and feeding him some milk. He's 20 months old now, and we thought he was getting old enough to do without that. The other night he waked up and began to call for 'mikkum.' I didn't pay any attention to him, so, of course, he kept it up, as babies usually do.

"Each time the mikkum came out a little more imperiously. Finally I called to him:

"'You don't need any mikkum. Go to sleep again now.'

"There was silence for a few minutes, and then he began again:

"'Pa—Pa!'

"No answer.

"'Papa!'

"I said nothing.

"'Pa—you old baldhead, get up an gimme some mikkum.'

"And did he get it?" asked the papa with the red whiskers.

"He got it.—Buffalo Express.

Continuous.

May—I wonder why Reggie never married.

Jack—He had a love affair when quite young and has never gotten over it.

May—Who was the object of his affections?

Jack—Himself.—Philadelphia Life.

It May Do As Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and liver troubles and ofter gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Prices only 50c, for large bottle at McMonagle & Rogers Drug store.

Relief In Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by J. E. Mills, Druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

TORTURED FOR YEARS.

A FIREMAN'S BATTLE WITH RHEUMATISM.

How He Conquered the Disease After Years of Misery.

Henry Wagner assistant engineer at Fire Station No. 5, Cleveland, O., says: "For the past nine years I have had rheumatism at intervals and suffered greatly. I would be off duty days to two weeks each time, and although I tried many different so-called remedies, could not obtain any relief. When I first heard of the remarkable cures Munyon's Rheumatism Remedy was making I was very skeptical but just then I had a bad attack and concluded to give them a trial. The first bottle relieved me very much, and by the time I had taken the second bottle I was completely cured. I have not had a rheumatic pain since, although I have been wet many times. Now I use Munyon's Remedies in my home and find them most excellent."

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure acts almost instantaneously, curing many obstinate cases in a few hours. It is guaranteed to cure rheumatism in any part of the body. Acute or muscular rheumatism cured in from one to five days. It never fails to cure sharp, shooting pains in the arms, legs, side, back or breast or soreness of any part of the body in from one to three hours. It promptly cures lameness, stiff and swollen joints, and all pains in the hips and loins, chronic rheumatism, sciatica lumbago or pain in the back are speedily cured. It seldom fails to give relief after one or two doses, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used.

Munyon's Homeopathic Home Remedy Company, of Philadelphia, put up specifics for nearly every disease, which are sold by all druggists, mostly at 25 cents a bottle.

Those who are in doubt as to the nature of their disease should address Professor Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, giving full symptoms of their disease. Professor Munyon will carefully diagnose the case and give you the benefit his advice absolutely free of all charge. The Remedies will be sent to any address on receipt of retail price.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning Nov. 25th, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

NO.		JAMES ST.	MAIN ST.
$12,	Chicago Express	4:30 a m	
$10,	Buffalo Express	6:1 "	
26,	Middletown Way, T	6:34 "	6:36 a m
16,	Orange Co. G. M	7:10 "	7:12 "
28,	Mountain Express	8:23 "	8:25 "
38,	Del. Valley E. G. M. P	10:21 "	
6,	Way Mail, G. (ex. Sunday)	12:58 "	1:00 p m
$ 2,	Chicago Express, T	2:53 p m	
36	Way, M. P. G. T.	4:43 "	4:45 "
$ 8,	Chicago Limited	7:12 "	
$18,	Milk	7:53 "	
$14,	Wells-Fargo Express	10:40 "	
6 6,	Port Jervis Local (sun. only)	8:23 a m	8:25 a m
930,	Port Jervis Local	5:15 p m	
$128,	M. & C. Branch, arrive		8:13 a m
$130,	M. & C. Branch, arrive		5:56 p m

WEST BOUND.

$17,	Milk	7:47 a m	
21,	Port Jervis Way	10:39 "	10:35 a m
$ 1,	Day Express	11:25 "	
11	Port Jervis Local	1:01 p m	1:01 p m
33,	Port Jervis Local	3:40 "	3:37 "
$35,	Chicago Limited	5:02 "	
27,	Mountain Express	5:40 "	5:36 "
15,	Orange County	6:50 "	6:45 "
25,	Middletown Way, arrives	8:05 "	8:03 "
$ 7,	Buffalo Express	8:30 "	
29,	Emigrant	9:40 "	
$ 3,	Chicago Express	11:12 "	
601,	Port Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10:43 a m	10:40 a m
6 5,	" " "	3:19 p m	3:16 p m
$17,	" " "	9:42 "	
$101,	M. & C. Branch train	11:35 a m	11:40 a m
$115,	" " "		6:55 p m

Trains marked with a $ run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 6 6, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof; due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters affixed, indicate connections, viz: "G," with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T," with Newburgh Short-Cut Branch, via Turners; "M," with Montgomery Branch; "P," with Pine Island Branch.

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at $4:15, $7:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, $6:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 2:30 p. m.

N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.
LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.
NORTH BOUND.

Milk		8:45 a m
Day Express		10:55 "
Sullivan County Express		6:35 p m
Pacific Express		10:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.

No 8	7:53 a m
Atlantic Express	9:12 "
Day Express	4:30 p m
Milk	6:45 "

N. Y., S. & W. RAILROAD.
LEA E.

Middletown Way	6:30 a m
Accommodation	8:00 "
*Mail	4:48 p m

ARRIVE.

*Mail	12:12 p m
Accommodation	5:10 "
Middletown Way	7:45 "

*Runs Sundays.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

11—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., tyre shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
214—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and Wisner ave.
42—Academy and Hounsfield avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue
57—Franklin Square.

38—Fairview avenue and South street.
21—Rung before a box number, denotes that a test is being made.
1 stroke denotes circuit broken.
2—2—2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call.
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
4 strokes of bell denotes recall, fire is out.

The Rosy Freshness and a velvety softness of the skin is invariably attained by those who use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder.

PREPARING FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Committees Appointed by the Grand Army Posts to Arrange for Its Observance.

A regular camp fire of Genl. Lyon Post No. 266 G. A. R. was held last evening. A committee from Capt. Jackson Post was present, and arrangements were begun for a joint celebration of Memorial Day.

The following comrades of Gen. Lyon Post were appointed on the Memorial Day Committee: D. H. Keeler, G. H. Black, Ira Dorrance, J. T. Ogden, C. M. Winchester, C. E Norris, J. W. Wood, F. W. Keene, S S. Skinner, James McNamee, J. D. Adams, J. H. Nichols, W. H. Rogers, J. Kniffin, Ed. North, A. M. Bowler, J. Hirst, A. Coddington, N. J. Sharp, J. Shannon, A. B. Wheeler, G. W. Farrington, J. B. Leemon, T. J. Harding, B Terwilliger, J H. Johnson, W. H. Wood, O. C. Lutes, A. J Hornbeck, F. Mead, C. E. Bennett.

The committee from Capt. Jackson Post is as follows C. B. Wood, H. L. Deuel, John Miles, Wm. Malone, A. W. Beakes, J. F. Roose, J. G Irwin, A. E. Ludington E S. Puff, B. S. Keeler.

"PAWN TICKET 210."

To Be Played at the Casino Next Week by a Strong Company.

"Pawn Ticket 210" is announced as the attraction at the Casino, next Thursday evening. The play is by David Belasco and Clay M Greene. Miss Amy Lee assumes the character of "Mag," and in that line of work stands unrivalled. With her are Frank Doane and P. Aug. Anderson. Mr. Doane will essay the comedy part, and Mr. Anderson that of Uncle Harris," the miserly money lender. The supporting company includes F. J. Wildman, F. A. Connor, J. F. Sherry, E J. Dallon, Nellie Dunbar, Sara Luscelles and Mrs. Rose Watkins. The play itself is notable for the strength of its dramatic scenes and the truth of its characters. The general production will be greatly enhanced by the new scenic equipment and new songs, and original specialties.

THE BOWLING CRAZE

Port Jervis Slow to Catch on, but Has it at Last

Port Jervis has been slow to catch on to the popular and healthful game of bowling, but has caught the fever at last.

A commodious building is being erected for bowling alleys, on the corner of Franklin and Fowler streets, which has been leased by Ed. Fuller, who will open it as soon it is ready for use.

Became Suddenly Insane

The Salt Lake *Tribune* of April 18th says that Warren R. Stoll, formerly one of the leading attorneys of Cheyenne, Wyoming, and Chairman of the Democratic State Committee has become suddenly deranged. On the night of the 17th he jumped through a plate glass window in the second story of his residence, lighting on the pavement 15 feet below. He will recover and it is believed that rest will restore him to sanity. Mr. Stoll was a native of Wantage, Sussex county.

Almost Atrocious "Fake."

The New York *World* published, this morning, a dispatch from Cochecton, giving a detailed account of the killing of four young people at that place, yesterday afternoon, by the falling of a section of a cliff on which they were standing. A telegraphic inquiry brings the news from Cochecton that the story is the worst kind of a "fake," no cliff having fallen and no one having been killed or injured

A Delaware County Amazon

Harry Keefe, a young man of Davenport, Delaware county, was soundly thrashed, a few days ago, by a young woman of that place, of whom he had spoken in derogatory terms. After the incident became known the town was too hot for the victim of the young woman's wrath and he took a hasty departure.

Something Unusual

The display of premiums offered by the Advertising Journal Co, in the window of the C. E. Crawford Furniture Co. is worthy of notice. If not conversant with their manner of distributing premiums, a few moments spent inside, while it is being explained, will be anything but wasted.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address,

F. J. CHENEY & CO, Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Spring Cleaning

Is at hand. This fact means much to the honest housewife. It means many hours of toil and that large supplies of strength will be demanded. And yet this is a time when the appetite is poor and women are likely to be nervous, sleepless, weak and tired, because the blood is impure.

Let the impurities be driven out and the blood enriched and invigorated and made to flow in a life-giving current to every part of the body. Then there will be health, strength and

A Good Appetite.

The only true blood purifier prominently before the people today is Hood's Sarsaparilla; and it is the most prominent because it is the best. Merit will win, and merit has not only placed Hood's Sarsaparilla at the head of all medicines, but has practically given it, as a blood purifier, possession of the whole field.

Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood. It sharpens the appetite and makes that strength which overcomes nervous exhaustion, and gives

Refreshing Sleep.

It cures every disease caused by impure blood. If you take Hood's Sarsaparilla as a spring medicine or to purify your blood, you are trying no experiment. You will be benefited.

If you are suffering from scrofula, salt rheum or other eruptions, you may rely upon a cure. If you are nervous, weak, tired and discouraged, Hood's Sarsaparilla will make you strong, because it will purify your blood. Spring Cleaning, when nerves and body have been strengthened by Hood's Sarsaparilla, will lose its terrors.

While cleaning house, do not neglect your bodily health—attend to the tenement of clay in which you live. Put this in healthy condition by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify your blood.

"Hood's and I"

Together Will Master the Trials of House Cleaning.

"I was indeed a sad and suffering woman. I had hardly strength enough to drag myself around, I could eat hardly anything, had that tired feeling and was weak and nervous. I was brought to this condition by continually running down in health for twelve years, rheumatism and neuralgia causing me

No End of Suffering.

I was in just the condition to invite the grip, and this added to my troubles. I tried different remedies and worked and waited patiently for a cure, but my stomach gave out and I seemed to be continually growing worse. I thought every organ, every ligament and every muscle in my body was more or less diseased. I felt that if I did not get relief soon I should die. I read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla that I resolved to try it. When I had taken one bottle, I could eat heartily without indigestion, and a few Hood's Pills relieved me of troublesome constipation. I have now taken five or six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and am in very much better health. Now

My House Cleaning

has come, but Hood's and I together will master that trial. I feel so thankful that I am well and hope my testimonial will help other weak, tired, nervous women." MRS. HELEN HISEERD, Tully, N. Y.

"I take Hood's Sarsaparilla every spring, and that is the only medicine I use through the year. It enables me to do my house cleaning, and farm work all through the summer. It helped me very much for palpitation of the heart. I think Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine for everyone, and all who take it will never be without it. I have also used Hood's Pills and they are the best I have ever tried." MRS. F. H ANDREWS, South Woodstock, Connecticut.

Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Spring Medicine

"For many years I have been in poor health, weak, nervous and dyspeptic. I had no appetite and was on the border of

Nervous Prostration.

I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it did me ever so much good. This winter it does not seem as though I am the same person. My appetite is greatly improved. I am less nervous, am stronger and

Eat Heartily

without distress. Such a condition was unknown to me before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. My mother, aged 87, has taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and I know it has done her lots of good. Other friends have also been helped by it." MRS. G. C. CLAY, Barre, Vermont.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the Only True Blood Purifier Prominently in the Public Eye Today.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.

—First Congregational Church—Rev Wm A Robinson, D D, pastor, Sunday school at 9 45 a m, morning service at 11 a m, Junior Endeavor at 3 p m Young People's meeting at 6 30 p m, evening service at 7 30 Subject of evening sermon—"A Man Among Men." A cordial welcome to all

—Faith Mission, 11 Mill street—Elder D L. Conkling, pastor You will be made welcome at any or all of the services at the Mission tomorrow unday chool at 3 o'clock, preaching at 3, gospel meeting in the evening Come and bring your friend with you

—Grace Episcopal Church—Rev D J Evans, B A, rector 2nd Sunday after Easter Holy Communion 7 30 a m; unday School at 9 45 a m morning prayer and sermon, 11 a m, evening prayer and sermon, 7 30 p m.

—Old School Baptist Church—Elder Benton Jenkins, pastor Services to-morrow, at 3 p m

—Second Presbyterian Church—Rev Chas Beattie, D D, pastor Preaching services at 11 a m and 7 30 p m, Young People's meeting at 6 30 p m

—First Baptist Church—Rev Frank A Heath pastor Bible School at 9 00 a m worship and sermon at 11 o clock Juniors at 3 p m, general prayer meeting at 6 30 p m, evening service at 7 30 p m Our seats are all free Everybody welcome Anniversary sermon will be delivered to the Odd Fellows, subject 'The Lesson of Brotherhood'

St Joseph's Church—2nd Sunday after Easter—Low mass at 8 a m High mass and sermon at 11 a m Sunday school at 2 p m Promoters of the Sacred Heart will meet at 4 p m in the chapel Rosary vespers and benediction at 7 0 p m

Monday—Feast of St Peter, Martyr.
Tuesday—Feast of St Catharine Virgin
Wednesday—Feast of Sts Philip and James, Apostles
Thursday—Feast of St Athanasius Doctor
Friday—Feast of the finding of the Holy Cross
Saturday—Feast of St Monica Widow

—First Presbyterian Church—Services at 11 a m and 7 p m Rev Thos Gordon, D D, pastor Strangers cordially invited

—Deutsch Evangelisch Lutherisch St Johannes Gemeinde—Rev Dr Henry Katz, pastor services at 7 30 p m, in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church Sunday school at 2 p m Dr Katz, pastor

—North Street Congregational Church—Rev J W Norris pastor Morning service at 10 30 Sunday school immediately following morning service Junior Endeavor at 3 p m Y P S C E at 6 30 p m Sunshine Strangers welcome Subject of morning sermon 'Development through opposition' Subject of evening sermon The source of the future life

—Free Christian Church—Rev C M Winchester, pastor Sunday school at 11 a m Bible Class following Preaching at 7 30 p m, in the lecture room, by the Pastor Subject 'The mother and daughter and granddaughter all denying each other' Second sermon in the series Scripture citations that it has spiritual water A cordial welcome to all our services

—Y M C A—Meeting for men Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock All men are welcome Mr I F Andrews will address the meeting

—A M E Zion Church—Rev P M Jackson, pastor Quarterly meeting, to-morrow Love feast at 9 o'clock preaching at 11 30 a m Communion service at 2 p m Sermon by Rev J H Nichols, of Trinity Church Preaching by the pastor at 7 30 p m Other services as usual

Acting through the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla not only cures scrofula, salt rheum, etc, but gives health and vigor to the whole body.

Something From a Gloversville Mother.

"I have a baby eighteen months old and I write to say I have used Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and also Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and am glad to let others know that I think them splendid Children's Remedies.—Mrs Jeremiah J Ellegate, 18 Smith avenue, Gloversville, N Y." Dr Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion are sold by all druggists for 25c

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

TO LET Two flats, with bath, also apartments
18d2t Enquire at 17 Cottage street

AN Excellent opportunity for a man having idle capital to start in a business of great refinement No experience necessary Address BUSINESS, Argus office, Middletown, N Y 4d1mMy11

TO LET—Five nice rooms first floor, Little avenue, $15, 5 nice rooms, first floor, East avenue $15
3td E. E CONKLING

YOU Can help Thrall Hospital by taking your shoe repairing to Craig, the shoemaker For four weeks he will give 25c per cent. of his turnovers to that noble institution
CRAIG, NO. 22 WEST MAIN ST

STORE to Let 34 Fulton street, near tannery Lately occupied by Thos Farrell Jr Has been run for twenty years as a grocery and liquor store First class stand Possession given at once Enquire of P DOUGHERTY.
25w702eodtf 51 Cottage street.

CAR Load of Horses just arrived at the farm of Isaac Mullock, a Farmingtown, N Y, in town of Greenville Call and get prices before purchasing elsewhere Easy terms
88 1a wJunJul 23 WILLIAM HOSKING

J. W WORCESTER, M D, Late of New York city Fine Dentistry in all its branches Expert in the use of gas and extraction
11d&wly sp19 27 NORTH ST., Middletown, N Y

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

DR. S. H TALCOTT.

will deliver a lecture upon "His Recent Trip Across the Continent," at the Assembly Rooms, on Thursday evening, May 23d, at 8 o'clock for the benefit of Capt. Wm. A Jackson Post, G. A R. Admission 25c. d27,4,16to23

Ed. Bateau's Parisian Perfumes

sold by the ounce. Try them. WE HAVE THOSE GARDEN HOSES, Base Balls, Bats, Tennis Balls, Racquets, etc., at

E. A. HAMILTON'S, 29 JAMES ST.

WANTED Ten good stone masons Apply at 5 Monnagen avenue. 17d5t

CHARLES Z. TAYLOR, Contractor and Builder, No 1 Railroad avenue. Jobbing at short notice

A GOOD Cook wanted at the Orange Hotel; good wages will be paid
92dtf EDSALL & VANNESS Goshen, N. Y.

STORE Your stoves at LOEVEN'S Storage House, 25 cents per month
9d1mMy17 21 MONHAGEN AVE

STORAGE TO LET
Apply to WM LOEVEN
93d1mAp30 No 21 Monhagen avenue

W. CLIFFORD ROGERS, interior decorating House, sign and ornamental painting and paper hanging Shop, corner Main and Henry streets
71d3mMay4

JEROME FOLLETTE late of Bradbury Piano Factory practical piano tuner, repairer and polisher Address 57 West Main street, Middletown N Y.
58d6mOct

FOR SALE—Old established fire, life and accident insurance agency Good reason for selling Address "No 1 BUSINESS," Lock Box 882.

THE Homestead Building and Loan Association is prepared to loan money at any time on favorable terms Apply to any of the officers,
9dtf H J. LEONARD, Secretary.

BOOKS and Magazines bound at reasonable rates at McINTYRE'S, No 22 North street.

NAPHTHALINE
OR
MOTH CAMPHOR!
IN
Flakes, Squares or Balls.

Supply large. Price small. See us

TUTHILL'S PHARMACY, 27 JAMES ST

WANTED!

More Orders for Our Millinery Department

Hats trimmed while you wait by a first-class New York trimmer, at prices that will astonish you.

Large assortment of Tips, Flowers, Aigrettes, Jet Pieces, Ornaments, Hats trimmed and untrimmed.

The New York Store

The Cash Fancy Goods House of Middletown.

63 North Street, Next to Postoffice.

No Spot on Earth Like the

CARPETBAG FACTORY,

when you want to buy Carpets.

Now when the busy housewife needs new window shades, they can be bought from us at 14c a window and prices up, all mounted, ready to hang. The old stand, the old firm; new goods, new prices.

Oil Cloths, Linoleum.

MATTHEWS & CO.,

North and Roberts Streets, Middletown.

CLOTHING TO ORDER!

Our Custom Department is very rushed with orders. The reason is that we make only first-class work at low prices, and

Save You From $6 to $8 on Every Suit.

Every garment is cut and made under our own supervision, and nothing is delivered unless it is first class in every respect.

Look in our north window and see the fine goods we offer at startling low prices.

SUITS TO ORDER FROM $15 UP.

Pants to Order From $4 Up.

BUDWIG & CO.,

Manufacturing Clothiers, Tailors, and Furnishers,

NO. 8 NORTH STREET.

P. S—We are sole agents for the "Brotherhood Overalls and Coats." The only Overalls made by a member of 8 of L. E.

d25,26 27 28,29,30w26

INSURE YOUR LIFE IN The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York. Old, strong and Reliable.

E. E. CONKLING, AGENT.

TO LET.

Five rooms, first floor 45 Liberty street; a two-horse lumber wagon for sale or exchange for a one horse wagon three very fine building lots to exchange for other property

E. MEDRICK
208 East Main St.
10d1yAp18

WALL PAPER.

At the office of B V Wolf you will find the latest styles of wall paper, at greatly reduced prices, supplied from the warehouses of Wolf Brothers, 829 Broadway, Brooklyn Call and select
11d1mMy23 B V WOLF.

A MAGIC CURE FOR YPSILENE BLOOD POISON
COOK REMEDY CO.

Have you Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper-Colored Spots, Aches, Old Sores Ulcers in Mouth Hair Falling? Write Cook Remedy Co., 307 Masonic Temple, Chicago, Ill., for proofs of cures Capital $500,000. Patients cured nine years ago today sound and well 100-page book free

Gold, Gold.

GOLDEN GLOSS

Will renew your mirror and picture frames, requiring no artist to apply it Fine for decorative purposes—15 and 25c a package.

Did You Ever Hear of PLASTICO

for beautifying walls and ceilings Ask for a descriptive circular, showing handsome tints. No scaling or rubbing off.

J. ERSKINE MILLS,

Druggist, North St.

PURITAN FLOUR $3 PER BARREL

Entire Wheat and Graham Flour, Grain, Mill Feeds, Clover and Timothy Seed.
SLED OATS, HAY AND STRAW.

C. J. EVERSON,
4 AND 6 KING STREET

ATTENTION, LADIES.

We want to call your attention to our Millinery Department. We have all the latest styles in trimmed and untrimmed hats and bonnets, flowers, ribbons, jets and straw braids.

We make a specialty of making to order any shape hat desired, and, as we employ none but the best of milliners, we can guarantee perfect satisfaction in all work entrusted to our care. We employ no apprentices. Come in and get our prices before purchasing elsewhere.

A. T. SOUIER,

5 West Main street, Middletown